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Re: Progress Report No. 98 (January 2012)  
ESB, Inc. Site  
1246 Allene Avenue, Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Mr. Williamson,

As required by Paragraph 20 of the Administrative Order on Consent for Removal Action (Order) for the ESB, Inc. Site, three copies of this progress report for activities performed during January 2012 are submitted to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Although not required by the Order, this progress report includes those activities being performed at the request of the Georgia Department of Natural Resources, Environmental Protection Division (EPD) which have not been required by the EPA. These EPD-requested activities are indicated below in bold italics.

1. Response Actions Completed During January 2012 to Comply with the Order

- On January 13, 2012, Exide submitted to the EPA the progress report for the month of December 2011.
- ***On January 24, 2012, AMEC E&I, Inc. (AMEC) submitted to the EPD a report for the December 2011 groundwater monitoring event.***

2. Data Anticipated or Activities Scheduled for the Next Month

- AMEC and Exide will coordinate a conference call with the EPA and EPD to discuss the EPD-approved groundwater monitoring program, results to date, and work to be performed in 2012.

3. Problems Encountered in January 2012 or Anticipated

- No problems were encountered or anticipated in January 2012.

4. Actions Taken in January 2012 to Mitigate Anticipated or Actual Problems

- No actions were taken in January 2012 to mitigate anticipated or actual problems.

5. Schedule for Completion of Actions to Mitigate Problems

- No actions were necessary to mitigate problems.

6. Copies of Analytical Data Received during January 2012

- No analytical data was received in January 2012. *Although not indicated in the progress report for December 2011, analytical results of groundwater samples collected during the December 2011 round of groundwater sampling were received in December 2011.*

7. Modifications to Response Action, RAP, and/or Schedule During January 2012

- No modifications to the Response Action or RAP were made in January 2012.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding this progress report, please feel free to contact me at (610) 921-4054.

Sincerely,

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