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Re: Veolia Mercury Reclamation Facility Facility Air ID 0730094 Leon County

Dear Ms. Dunwoody:

Department personnel conducted a compliance inspection of the above-referenced facility on December 11, 2013. Based on the information provided during the inspection, the facility was determined to be in compliance with the Department's rules and regulations. A copy of the inspection report is attached for your records.

The Department appreciates your efforts to maintain this facility in compliance with state and federal rules. Should you have any questions or comments, please contact Tracy White at (850) 245-2960 or by via e-mail <u>tracy.a.white@dep.state.fl.us</u>.

Sincerely,

Mike Mathews Environmental Manager

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Enclosures: Inspection report

c: Mary Beth Curle, Carol Melton (FDEP, Pensacola)

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<u>VOLUME REDUCTION, MERCURY RECOVERY,</u> <u>MERCURY RECLAMATION PROCESSES</u>



#### COMPLIANCE INSPECTION CHECKLIST

INSPECTION TYPE: ANNUAL (INS1, INS2) COMPLAINT/DISCOVERY (CI)				
RE-INSPECTION (FUI) ARMS COMPLAINT NO:				
AIRS ID#: 0730094 DATE: <u>12/11/2013</u> ARRIVE: <u>9:45 A.M</u> DEPART: <u>10:45 A.M.</u>				
FACILITY NAME: VEOLIA ES TECHNICAL SOLUTION-TALLAHASSEE				
FACILITY LOCATION:       342 MARPAN LN				
TALLAHASSEE 32305-0904				
OWNER/AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE:LINDA DUNWOODY*PHONE:(850)877-8299Email:linda.dunwoody@veoliaes.comMobile:(850)251-4924CONTACT NAME:LINDA DUNWOODY*PHONE:(850)877-8299Email:linda.dunwoody@veoliaes.comMobile:(850)251-4924ENTITLEMENT PERIOD:9/2/2012 /9/2/2017Mobile:(850)251-4924(effective date)(end date)(end date)(end date)(end date)				
PART I: INSPECTION COMPLIANCE STATUS (check 🗹 only one box)				
IN COMPLIANCE       MINOR Non-COMPLIANCE       SIGNIFICANT Non-COMPLIANCE				
PART II: <u>CONTROL TECHNOLOGY</u> - Rule 62-210.300, F.A.C. (check ☑ appropriate box(es))				
<ol> <li>Loes the facility operate any emissions units other than the volume reduction, mercury recovery, and mercury reclamation processes and emissions units which are exempt from permitting pursuant to the criteria of paragraph 62-210.300(3)(a), or (b), F.A.C., or have been exempted from permitting under Rule 62-4.040, F.A.C.? (Rule 62-210.300(4)(c), F.A.C.) —</li></ol>				
<u>NOTE</u> : *If you have checked 5.a) above, then proceed on to Page 2 and questions 6 through 12 which cover <u>Dual Air</u> <u>Handling Systems</u> . **If you have checked 5.b) above, then skip questions 6 through 12 and proceed on to questions 13 through 16 which cover <u>Single Air Handling Systems with Redundant Mercury Controls</u> .				

# PART II: <u>CONTROL TECHNOLOGY</u>– Rule 62-210.300, F.A.C. (*continued*) (check ☑ appropriate box(es))

#### \*Dual Air Handling Systems

<ul> <li>6. Has the owner or operator installed a primary air handling system with air pollution control equipment in order to reduce the mercury content of the air collected during the volume reduction and mercury recovery and reclamation processes? (Rule 62-296.417(1)(c)1., F.A.C.)</li></ul>	с С
<ol> <li>Does the owner or operator operate, monitor, and maintain the primary system air pollution control equipment in such a manner as not to exceed the OSHA PEL for mercury vapor within the fully enclosed area of the facility in which the air collected by the primary air handling system is vented? (Rule 62-296.417(1)(c)4., F.A.C.)</li></ol>	C
<ul> <li>10. Has the owner or operator installed a secondary air handling system in order to maintain negative pressure in the fully enclosed area of the facility in which the air collected by the primary system is vented? (Rule 62-696.417(1)(c)5., F.A.C.)</li></ul>	C
equipment to reduce the mercury content of the air collected by the secondary air handling system? )Rule 62-696.417(1)(c)6., F.A.C.)	
air handling system with air pollution controls? (Rule 62-696.417(1)(c)7., F.A.C.)       □Yes □ No         a) Do the primary and secondary air handling systems air pollution controls incorporate carbon filters or equivalent technology?       □Yes □ No	
**Single Air Handling Systems with Redundant Mercury Controls	
<ul> <li>13. Does the owner or operator operate, monitor, and maintain an air handling system with redundant air pollution control equipment in order to reduce the mercury content of the air collected during the volume reduction, and mercury recovery and reclamation processes? (Rule 62-296.417(1)(d)1., F.A.C.)</li></ul>	)
62-296.417(1)(d)2., F.A.C.)	
<ul> <li>b) Was the highest reported exposure limit observed equal to or less than the OSHA PEL of 1 mg/10m<sup>3</sup> for mercury vapor? ⊠Yes □ No</li> <li>15. As the facility processes any mercury-containing lamps or devices once each day, and while mercury-containing</li> </ul>	)
<ul> <li>lamps or devices are being processed, is a sample of air collected downstream of the first carbon filter (or equivalent technology) and upstream of the second? (Rule 62-296.417(1)(d)3., F.A.C.)</li></ul>	
technology) and upstream of the second? (Rule 62-296.417(1)(d)4., F.A.C.)	~

PART III: <u>RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS</u> -Rule 62-210.300(3)(a)27. & 28., F.A.C. & 62-210.300(4)(c)1.,	, <b>F.A.C.</b>
(check ☑ appropriate box(es))	
1. Does the owner or operator of this facility which is subject to this rule maintain records of monitoring	
information that specifies and includes: (Rule 62-296.417(2), F.A.C.)	
a) the date, place and time of measurement?	s 🗌 No
b) the methodology used? 🖾 Ye	s 🗌 No
c) the analytical results? XYe	s 🗌 No
d) calibration and maintenance records of monitoring equipment?	s 🗌 No
2. Does the owner/operator retain records of all monitoring data and supporting information, and make	
available for Department inspection, these records for a period of at least five years from the date of	
collection? (Rule 62-296.417(2), F.A.C.)	s 🗌 No

#### PART IV: <u>GENERAL CONDITIONS/MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS</u> – Rule 62-210.300(4)(e)6., 8., & 12., F.A.C.

(check  $\overline{\square}$  appropriate box(es))

1. Does the owner or operator make every reasonable effort to conduct the specific activity authorized general permit in a manner that minimizes adverse effects on adjacent property or on public use adjacent property, where applicable, and on the environment, including fish, wildlife, natural rest	of the
water quality, or air quality?	
2. Does the owner or operator maintain the permitted facility, emission unit, or activity in good co	ndition? 🛛 Yes 🗌 No
3. Has the owner or operator allowed the circumvention of any applicable air pollution control dev	vices? 🗌 Yes 🖾 No
4. Has the owner or operator allowed the emission of air pollutants as the result of the malfunction	of, or
inoperable condition of applicable air pollution control devices?	🗌 Yes 🖾 No

### PART V: <u>SPECIAL CONDITIONS AND PROCEDURES</u> – Rule 62-210.300(4)(d)4., F.A.C.

(check  $\square$  appropriate box(es))

#### A. <u>New or Modified Process Equipment</u>

	nce the last inspection has there been a) installation of any new process equipment?	Yes	No
	b) alterations to existing process equipment without replacement?	Yes	No
(	c) replacement of existing equipment substantially different than that noted on the most recent notification form?	Yes	No
C	If you answered <u>YES</u> to any of the above, did the owner submit a new and complete notification form and appropriate fee (Rule 62-4.050, F.A.C.) to the appropriate DEP or local program office?	Yes	No

Tracy White

Inspector's Name (Please Print)

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Inspector's Signature

Approximate Date of Next Inspection

**COMMENTS:** I met with Linda Dunwoody and Randy Williams. Ms. Dunwoody and I discussed the CFL's processing line. She indicated that the facility no longer processes CFLs. The bulbs are accumulated, packaged and shipped out to another processing facility.

Date of Inspection

12/11/2013

I reviewed the records pertaining to monitoring and monitoring equipment-calibration. Records were maintained and available for inspection. Afterwards I observed the fac ility.

No changes to equipment were noted. Carbon canisters and monitoring ports were in-place for each set of equipment. The equipment was in operation.

Outside of the Flourescent Lamp Processing equipment room, a worker in PPE was emptying a red drum, that contained broken glass material, onto the outside conveyor-belt feed. The outside belt normally fed unprocessed material to the crusher/tumbler processing equipment which was located inside the negative containment room. I observed a small particulate emission from the material as it was unloaded onto the outside conveyor belt.

From further discussion, Ms. Dunwoody indicated that the material was "overflow or spillover" of lamps that occurred inside the containment area. When the processing room is routinely cleaned (i.e. material is removed from the floor, etc.), the accumulated material is stored in red drums until it can be re-introduced into the processing equipment (from the outside conveyor belt).

We discussed alternative solutions for keeping the overflow material from potentially contaminating the area outside negative containment, including additional "best management practices" and/or engineered solutions. The staff explained they would work on possible solutions to the issue.

Recommendations:

Please contact this office (Tracy White, 850-245-2960 or e-mail) when a solution has been implemented for the spillover material issue, preferably within 60 days from the date of this inspection.