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Ms. Shannon W. Pociu  
Department of Environmental Protection  
Bureau of Waste Management  
Permitting, Enforcement and Remediation Division  
79 Elm Street  
Hartford, CT 06106-5127

Subject: Quarterly Progress Report – 1st Quarter 2005  
Newhall Street Residential Area, Non-Public Properties  
Hamden, CT

Dear Ms. Pociu,

As per the requirements of the Consent Order SRD-128, dated April 16, 2003, Section 5, Progress Reports, the above Progress Report is submitted.

I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this document and all attachments thereto, and I certify, based on reasonable investigation, including my inquiry of those individuals responsible for obtaining the information, that the submitted information is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that any false statement made in the submitted information is punishable as a criminal offense under §53a-157b of the Connecticut General Statutes and any other applicable law.

If you have any questions, please call me at 423-336-4675.

Sincerely,

OLIN CORPORATION

Raymond J. Horn  
Principal Project Engineer

Attachment

Cc. K. Cichon – Malcolm Pirnie  
H. Moritz – Malcolm Pirnie

**QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF OLIN CORPORATION  
NON-PUBLIC PROPERTIES  
HAMDEN, CONNECTICUT**

**REPORT PERIOD:** January 1 through March 31, 2005

**REPORT DATE:** March 31, 2005

**PROGRESS MADE THIS REPORTING PERIOD:**

- On January 4, 2005 Olin Corporation submitted Recommendations for Additional Investigation at the Non-Public Properties. This replaced Section 3, "Proposed Supplemental Investigation" of the Interim Report on Isolated Fill.
- Four monitoring wells were installed to complete the monitoring well network for the NPP study area.
- Additional investigation field work was conducted from January 17 through February 10. This work included delineation of contiguous and isolated fill areas on approximately 80 properties and collection of the second round of groundwater samples.
- Olin mailed individual data reports to owners of 5 properties where groundwater monitoring was conducted.
- Sample analytical data were validated as received and incorporated into the data base.
- Fifteen samples were submitted for dioxin/furan analysis.
- On March 23, 2005 Olin Corporation submitted the final "Supplemental Investigation Report & Remedial Action Plan Non-Public Properties Study Area, Hamden, Connecticut".

**ACTIVITIES PLANNED FOR NEXT PERIOD:**

- Conduct additional field investigation work that wasn't able to be completed in the winter due to weather conditions.
- Participate in Public Participation Meetings as scheduled by the Agency.
- Conduct third round of groundwater sampling and analyses.
- Submit individual data reports as newly obtained data are validated.

31 March 2005  
File No. 27892-421/422

Department of Environmental Protection  
Bureau of Water Management  
Permitting, Enforcement and Remediation Division  
79 Elm Street  
Hartford, CT 06106-5127

Attention: Ms. Shannon Pociu

Subject: Progress Report No. 8  
January 2005 through March 2005  
Rochford Field and Mill Rock Park  
Hamden, Connecticut

Ladies and Gentlemen:

On behalf of the Town of Hamden, Haley & Aldrich, Inc. (Haley & Aldrich) is pleased to submit this quarterly Progress Report (No. 8) describing the actions the Town of Hamden has taken to date to comply with relevant requirements outlined in Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection (CTDEP) Consent Order No. SRD-128, Section B (5). Progress Report No. 8 covers the timeframe from 1 January 2005 through 31 March 2005.

#### **WORK COMPLETED DURING REPORTING PERIOD**

- On 28 January 2005, Haley & Aldrich submitted the Supplemental Phase III Work Plan Data Report to CTDEP.
- On 9 to 14 February 2005, Haley & Aldrich conducted the ninth round of groundwater sampling at Rochford Field and Mill Rock Park.
- During February & March 2005, Haley & Aldrich has been preparing the Supplemental Phase III Work Plan Report for an April submittal to CTDEP.

The next scheduled quarterly progress report will be due on 30 June 2005.

**RESPONDENT AND PREPARER CERTIFICATIONS**

Any document that is submitted to the commissioner of the CTDEP under SRD-128 must be signed by the Respondent (Town of Hamden), or authorized representative of the Respondent, and by the individuals responsible for preparing such a document. Therefore, the Respondent (or agent thereof) and the Preparer (Haley & Aldrich) must sign the following statement:

*"I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this document and all attachments thereto, and I certify that, based on reasonable investigation, including my inquiry of those individuals responsible for obtaining the information, the submitted information is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that a false statement made in this document or its attachments may be punishable as a criminal offense under Section 53a-157b of the Connecticut General Statutes and any other applicable law."*

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Name of Respondent or Authorized Representative  
Town of Hamden

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Title

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Signature

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Date

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Name of Preparer  
Haley & Aldrich, Inc.

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Title

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Signature

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Date

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If you require additional information, please call.

Sincerely yours,  
HALEY & ALDRICH, INC.

Chris G. Harriman, LEP  
Senior Environmental Geologist

William F. Kay, Jr., PhD., PE, LEP  
Senior Vice President

cc: Town of Hamden; Attn: Honorable Carl Amento  
Halloran & Sage; Attn: Ann Catino

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