

STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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April 9, 2015

Ms. Elisa Nguyen Energy Northwest Environmental Services Lab 350 Hills Street Suite 107 Richland,WA 99354

Dear Ms. Nguyen:

Thank you for your application for renewal in the Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Program. Enclosed is a new Certificate of Accreditation covering the one-year period beginning April 12, 2015 and a current Scope of Accreditation.

Renewal of accreditation is based in part on review of your lab's performance over the past year as evidenced by participation in proficiency testing (PT) studies.

As a reminder, continued participation in the Ecology Lab Accreditation Program requires the lab to:

- Submit a renewal application and fees annually
- Report significant changes in facility, personnel, analytical methods, equipment, the lab's quality assurance (QA) manual or QA procedures as they occur
- Participate in proficiency testing studies semi-annually, with the following exception: For each parameter where all PT results were satisfactory, you are required to submit only one PT result over this next year, and in subsequent years, as long as the results are satisfactory.

YOUR RIGHT TO APPEAL

You have a right to appeal Ecology's decision to the Pollution Control Hearing Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision letter. The appeal process is governed by Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC. "Date of receipt" is defined in RCW 43.21B.001(2).

To appeal you must do the following within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision:

- File your appeal and a copy of this decision with the PCHB (see addresses below). Filing means actual receipt by the PCHB during regular business hours.
- Serve a copy of your appeal and this decision on Ecology in paper form by mail or in person. (See addresses below.) E-mail is not accepted.

You must also comply with other applicable requirements in Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC.

ADDRESS AND LOCATION INFORMATION

Street Addresses	Mailing Addresses
Department of Ecology	Department of Ecology
Attn: Appeals Processing Desk	Attn: Appeals Processing Desk

300 Desmond Drive SE	PO Box 47608
Lacey, WA 98503	Olympia, WA 98504-7608
Pollution Control Hearings Board 1111 Israel Road SW STE 301 Tumwater, WA 98501	Pollution Control Hearings Board PO Box 40903 Olympia, WA 98504-0903

If you have any questions concerning the accreditation of your lab, please contact me at (360) 871-8844, fax (360) 871-8849, or by e-mail at <u>alan.rue@ecy.wa.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Alan D. Rue Lab Accreditation Unit Supervisor



Energy Northwest Environmental Services Lab Richland, WA

has complied with provisions set forth in Chapter 173-50 WAC and is hereby recognized by the Department of Ecology as an ACCREDITED LABORATORY for the analytical parameters listed on the accompanying Scope of Accreditation. This certificate is effective April 12, 2015 and shall expire April 11, 2016.

Witnessed under my hand on April 9, 2015

Alan D. Rue Lab Accreditation Unit Supervisor

Laboratory ID **C866**

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

ENVIRONMENTAL LABORATORY ACCREDITATION PROGRAM

SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION

Energy Northwest Environmental Services Lab

Richland, WA

is accredited for the analytes listed below using the methods indicated. Full accreditation is granted unless stated otherwise in a note. Accreditation for U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) "Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, Physical/Chemical Methods" (SW-846) is for the latest version of the method. SM refers to EPA approved editions of "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater." ASTM is the American Society for Testing and Materials. Other references are described in notes.

Matrix/Analyte	Method	Notes
Drinking Water		
Chloride	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Fluoride	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Nitrate	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Nitrate + Nitrite	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Nitrite	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Sulfate	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Total Organic Carbon	SM 5310 B-00	
Aluminum	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Antimony	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Arsenic	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Barium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Beryllium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Cadmium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Chromium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Copper	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Lead	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Manganese	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Nickel	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Selenium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Silver	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Thallium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Zinc	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	

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Matrix/Analyte	Method	Notes
Non-Potable Water		
Chloride	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Fluoride	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Nitrate	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Nitrite	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Sulfate	EPA 300.0_2.1_1993	
Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD)	EPA 410.4_2_1993	
Turbidity	SM 2130 B-01	
Alkalinity	SM 2320 B-97	
Specific Conductance	SM 2510 B-97	
Solids, Total Dissolved	SM 2540 C-97	
Solids, Total Suspended	SM 2540 D-97	
Chromium, Hexavalent	SM 3500-Cr B-09	
рН	SM 4500-H+ B-00	
Ammonia	SM 4500-NH3 D-97	
Orthophosphate	SM 4500-P E-99	
Phosphorus, Total	SM 4500-P E-99	
Total Organic Carbon	SM 5310 B-00	
Aluminum	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Antimony	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Arsenic	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Barium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Beryllium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Boron	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Cadmium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Calcium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Chromium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Cobalt	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Copper	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Iron	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Lead	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Magnesium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Manganese	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Molybdenum	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Nickel	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	

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Matrix/Analyte	Method	Notes
Potassium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Selenium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Silver	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Sodium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Thallium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Tin	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Titanium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Vanadium	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Zinc	EPA 200.8_5.4_1994	
Gross Alpha	SM 7110 B-00	
Gross Beta	SM 7110 B-00	
Cesium 137	SM 7120 B	
Cesium-134	SM 7120 B	
Gamma Emitters	SM 7120 B	
Tritium	SM 7500-3H B	
Solid and Chemical Materials		
Cesium 137	SM 7120 B	
Cesium-134	SM 7120 B	
Gamma Emitters	SM 7120 B	

Accredited Parameter Note Detail

Authentication Signature Alan D. Rue, Lab Accreditation Unit Supervisor 04/09/2015

Date