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RE: REVISED DRAFT PERMIT

NPDES PERMIT NUMBER AL0082571

Dear Mr. McDonald:

Transmitted herein is a Revised Draft of the referenced permit.

We would appreciate your comments on the permit within 30 days of the date of this letter. Please direct any comments of a technical or administrative nature to the undersigned.

By copy of this letter and the Revised Draft permit, we are also requesting comments within the same time frame from EPA.

Our records indicate that you are currently utilizing the Department's web-based electronic environmental (E2) reporting system for submittal of discharge monitoring reports (DMRs). Your E2 DMRs will automatically update on the effective date of this permit, if issued.

The Alabama Department of Environmental Management encourages you to voluntarily consider pollution prevention practices and alternatives at your facility. Pollution Prevention may assist you in complying with effluent limitations, and possibly reduce or eliminate monitoring requirements.

If you have questions regarding this permit or monitoring requirements, please contact Wayne Holt by e-mail at wholt@adem.alabama.gov or by phone at (334) 271-7847.

Sincerely

Scott Ramsey, Chief Industrial Section Industrial/Municipal Branch Water Division

Enclosure:

Revised Draft Permit

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# NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT

PERMITTEE:	BUFFALO RO	CK COMPANY
FACILITY:	BUFFALO RO 111 OXMOOR BIRMINGHAM	
PERMIT NUMBER:	AL0082571	
RECEIVING WATERS:	DSN001:	UNNAMED TRIBUTARY TO SHADES CREEK
Pollution Control Act, as amended, Code	of Alabama 1975, SS 22 17, and rules and regulati	Pater Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. \$\interpretext{S1251-1388} (the FWPCA"), the Alabama Wat 22-1 to 22-22-14 (the "AWPCA"), the Alabama Environmental Management Act, as amended, Code to ons adopted thereunder, and subject further to the terms and conditions set forth in this permit, the ceiving waters.
ISSUANCE DATE:		
EFFECTIVE DATE:		
EXPIRATION DATE:		

Revised Draft

Alabama Department of Environmental Management

# INDUSTRIAL SECTION NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT

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#### PART I DISCHARGE LIMITATIONS, CONDITIONS, AND REQUIREMENTS

#### A. DISCHARGE LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS

During the period beginning on the effective date of this permit and lasting through the expiration date of this permit, the permittee is authorized to discharge from the following point source(s) outfall(s), described more fully in the permittee's application:

DSN0011: Treated reject water from reverse osmosis water treatment system

Such discharge shall be limited and monitored by the permittee as specified below:

· ·	DISCHARGE	LIMITATIONS	<u> </u>			MONITORING I	REQUIREMENTS 1/	
EFFLUENT CHARACTERISTIC pH	Monthly Average -	<u>Daily</u> <u>Maximum</u> -	<u>Daily</u> <u>Minimum</u> 6.0 S.U.	Monthly Average -	<u>Daily</u> <u>Maximum</u> 8.5 S.U.	Measurement Frequency 2/ Weekly	<u>Sample Type</u> Grab	Seasonal -
Solids, Total Suspended	-	-	-	30 mg/l	45 mg/l	Monthly	Composite	-
Phosphorus, Total (As P) 3/	-	-	-	-	0.3 mg/l	Monthly	Composite	•
Carbon, Tot Organic (TOC)	-	-	-	-	REPORT mg/l	Monthly	Composite	-
Chloride (As Cl)	-	-	-	230 mg/l	860 mg/l	Monthly	Composite	-
Iron Total Recoverable 4/6/	-	-	-	-	1.0 mg/l	Monthly	Composite	-
Aluminum, Total Recoverable 5/6/	•	-	-	REPORT mg/l	REPORT mg/l	Monthly	Composite	-
Flow, In Conduit or Thru Treatment Plant	REPORT MGD	REPORT MGD	-	-	-	Daily	Totalizer	-

# THE DISCHARGE SHALL HAVE NO SHEEN, AND THERE SHALL BE NO DISCHARGE OF VISIBLE OIL, FLOATING SOLIDS OR VISIBLE FOAM IN OTHER THAN TRACE AMOUNTS.

- 1/ Samples collected to comply with the monitoring requirements specified above shall be collected at the following location: At the nearest accessible location just prior to discharge and after final treatment. Unless otherwise specified, composite samples shall be time composite samples collected using automatic sampling equipment or a minimum of eight (8) equal volume grab samples collected over equal time intervals. All composite samples shall be collected for the total period of discharge not to exceed 24 hours.
- 2/ If only one sampling event occurs during a month, the sample result shall be reported on the discharge monitoring report as both the monthly average and daily maximum value for all parameters with a monthly average limitation.
- Monitoring for Total Phosphorus is applicable if phosphate-based corrosion inhibitors are utilized at the plant. If monitoring is not applicable, \*9 should be entered on the DMR.
- 4/ Monitoring for Total Recoverable Iron is applicable if filtration is used for iron removal or if iron-based coagulants are utilized at the plant. If monitoring is not applicable, \*9 should be entered on the DMR.
- Monitoring for Total Recoverable Aluminum is applicable if aluminum-based coagulants are utilized at the plant. If monitoring is not applicable, \*9 should be entered on the DMR.
- 6/ For compliance purposes with this permit, "Total" and "Total Recoverable" shall be considered equivalent.

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During the period beginning on the effective date of this permit and lasting through the expiration date of this permit, the permittee is authorized to discharge from the following point source(s) outfall(s), described more fully in the permittee's application:

DSN0011 (continued): Treated reject water from reverse osmosis water treatment system

Such discharge shall be limited and monitored by the permittee as specified below:

<u>DISCHARGE LIMITATIONS</u>						MONITORING REQUIREMENTS 1/			
EFFLUENT CHARACTERISTIC Chlorine, Total Residual 3/	<u>Monthly</u> <u>Average</u> -	<u>Daily</u> <u>Maximum</u>	<u>Daily</u> <u>Minimum</u> -	Monthly Average 0.011 mg/l	<u>Daily</u> <u>Maximum</u> 0.019 mg/l	Measurement Frequency 2/ Monthly	<u>Sample Type</u> Grab	<u>Seasonal</u> -	
Solids, Total Dissolved	-	-	-	-	REPORT mg/l	Monthly	Composite	-	

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- 2/ If only one sampling event occurs during a month, the sample result shall be reported on the discharge monitoring report as both the monthly average and daily maximum value for all parameters with a monthly average limitation.
- 3/ A measurement of Total Residual Chlorine below 0.05 mg/L will be considered in compliance with the permit limitations above and should be reported as NODI=B or \*B on the discharge monitoring reports.

#### B. DISCHARGE MONITORING AND RECORD KEEPING REQUIREMENTS

#### 1. Representative Sampling

Samples and measurements taken as required herein shall be representative of the volume and nature of the monitored discharge and shall be in accordance with the provisions of this permit.

#### Test Procedures

For the purpose of reporting and compliance, permittees shall use one of the following procedures:

- a. For parameters with an EPA established Minimum Level (ML), report the measured value if the analytical result is at or above the ML and report "0" for values below the ML. Test procedures for the analysis of pollutants shall conform to 40 CFR Part 136 and guidelines published pursuant to Section 304(h) of the FWPCA, 33 U.S.C. Section 1314(h). If more than one method for analysis of a substance is approved for use, a method having a minimum level lower than the permit limit shall be used. If the minimum level of all methods is higher than the permit limit, the method having the lowest minimum level shall be used and a report of less than the minimum level shall be reported as zero and will constitute compliance; however, should EPA approve a method with a lower minimum level during the term of this permit the permittee shall use the newly approved method.
- b. For pollutants parameters without an established ML, an interim ML may be utilized. The interim ML shall be calculated as 3.18 times the Method Detection Level (MDL) calculated pursuant to 40 CFR Part 136, Appendix B.

Permittees may develop an effluent matrix-specific ML, where an effluent matrix prevents attainment of the established ML. However, a matrix specific ML shall be based upon proper laboratory method and technique. Matrix-specific MLs must be approved by the Department, and may be developed by the permittee during permit issuance, reissuance, modification, or during compliance schedule.

In either case the measured value should be reported if the analytical result is at or above the ML and "0" reported for values below the ML.

c. For parameters without an EPA established ML, interim ML, or matrix-specific ML, a report of less than the detection limit shall constitute compliance if the detection limit of all analytical methods is higher than the permit limit using the most sensitive EPA approved method. For the purpose of calculating a monthly average, "0" shall be used for values reported less than the detection limit.

The Minimum Level utilized for procedures A and B above shall be reported on the permittee's DMR. When an EPA approved test procedure for analysis of a pollutant does not exist, the Director shall approve the procedure to be used.

#### 3. Recording of Results

For each measurement or sample taken pursuant to the requirements of this permit, the permittee shall record the following information:

- The facility name and location, point source number, date, time and exact place of sampling;
- b. The name(s) of person(s) who obtained the samples or measurements;
- c. The dates and times the analyses were performed;
- d. The name(s) of the person(s) who performed the analyses;
- e. The analytical techniques or methods used, including source of method and method number, and
- f. The results of all required analyses.

#### Records Retention and Production

The permittee shall retain records of all monitoring information, including all calibration and maintenance records and all original strip chart recordings for continuous monitoring instrumentation, copies of all reports required by the permit, and records of all data used to complete the above reports or the application for this permit, for a period of at least three years from the date of the sample measurement, report or application. This period may be extended by request of the Director at any time. If litigation or other enforcement action, under the AWPCA and/or the FWPCA, is ongoing which involves any of the above records, the records shall be kept until the litigation is resolved. Upon the written request of the Director or his designee, the permittee shall provide the Director with a copy of any record required to be retained by this paragraph. Copies of these records shall not be submitted unless requested.

All records required to be kept for a period of three years shall be kept at the permitted facility or an alternate location approved by the Department in writing and shall be available for inspection.

5. Monitoring Equipment and Instrumentation

All equipment and instrumentation used to determine compliance with the requirements of this permit shall be installed, maintained, and calibrated in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions or, in the absence of manufacturer's instructions, in accordance with accepted practices. The permittee shall develop and maintain quality assurance procedures to ensure proper operation and maintenance of all equipment and instrumentation. The quality assurance procedures shall include the proper use, maintenance, and installation, when appropriate, of monitoring equipment at the plant site.

# C. DISCHARGE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Reporting of Monitoring Requirements
  - The permittee shall conduct the required monitoring in accordance with the following schedule:

MONITORING REQUIRED MORE FREQUENTLY THAN MONTHLY AND MONTHLY shall be conducted during the first full month following the effective date of coverage under this permit and every month thereafter.

QUARTERLY MONITORING shall be conducted at least once during each calendar quarter. Calendar quarters are the periods of January through March, April through June, July through September, and October through December. The permittee shall conduct the quarterly monitoring during the first complete calendar quarter following the effective date of this permit and is then required to monitor once during each quarter thereafter. Quarterly monitoring may be done anytime during the quarter, unless restricted elsewhere in this permit, but it should be submitted with the last DMR due for the quarter, i.e., (March, June, September and December DMR's).

SEMIANNUAL MONITORING shall be conducted at least once during the period of January through June and at least once during the period of July through December. The permittee shall conduct the semiannual monitoring during the first complete calendar semiannual period following the effective date of this permit and is then required to monitor once during each semiannual period thereafter. Semiannual monitoring may be done anytime during the semiannual period, unless restricted elsewhere in this permit, but it should be submitted with the last DMR for the month of the semiannual period, i.e. (June and December DMR's).

ANNUAL MONITORING shall be conducted at least once during the period of January through December. The permittee shall conduct the annual monitoring during the first complete calendar annual period following the effective date of this permit and is then required to monitor once during each annual period thereafter. Annual monitoring may be done anytime during the year, unless restricted elsewhere in this permit, but it should be submitted with the December DMR.

b. The permittee shall submit discharge monitoring reports (DMRs) on the forms provided by the Department and in accordance with the following schedule:

REPORTS OF MORE FREQUENTLY THAN MONTHLY AND MONTHLY TESTING shall be submitted on a monthly basis. The first report is due on the 28th day of (MONTH, YEAR). The reports shall be submitted so that they are received by the Department no later than the 28th day of the month following the reporting period.

- c. Except as allowed by Provision I.C.1.c.(1) or (2), the permittee shall submit all Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) required by Provision I.C.1.b by utilizing the Department's web-based Electronic Environmental (E2) Reporting System.
  - (1) If the permittee is unable to complete the electronic submittal of DMR data due to technical problems originating with the Department's E2 Reporting system (this could include entry/submittal issues with an entire set of DMRs or individual parameters), the permittee is not relieved of their obligation to submit DMR data to the Department by the date specified in Provision I.C.1.b, unless otherwise directed by the Department.

If the E2 Reporting System is down on the 28th day of the month in which the DMR is due or is down for an extended period of time, as determined by the Department, when a DMR is required to be submitted, the permittee may submit the data in an alternate manner and format acceptable to the Department. Preapproved alternate acceptable methods include faxing, e-mailing, mailing, or hand-delivery of data such that they are received by the required reporting date. Within 5 calendar days of the E2 Reporting System resuming operation, the permittee shall enter the data into the E2 Reporting System, unless an alternate timeframe is approved by the Department. An attachment should be included with the E2 DMR submittal verifying the original submittal date (date of the fax, copy of the dated e-mail, or hand-delivery stamped date), if applicable.

(2) The permittee may submit a request to the Department for a temporary electronic reporting waiver for DMR submittals. The waiver request should include the permit number; permittee name; facility/site name; facility address; name, address, and contact information for the responsible official or duly authorized representative; a detailed statement regarding the basis for requesting such a waiver; and the duration for which the waiver is requested. Approved electronic reporting waivers are not transferrable.

Permittees with an approved electronic reporting waiver for DMRs may submit hard copy DMRs for the period that the approved electronic reporting waiver request is effective. The permittee shall submit the Department-approved DMR forms to the address listed in Provision I.C.1.e.

- (3) If a permittee is allowed to submit a hard copy DMR, the DMR must be legible and bear an original signature. Photo and electronic copies of the signature are not acceptable and shall not satisfy the reporting requirements of this permit.
- (4) If the permittee, using approved analytical methods as specified in Provision I.B.2, monitors any discharge from a point source for a limited substance identified in Provision I.A. of this permit more frequently than required by this permit, the results of such monitoring shall be included in the calculation and reporting of values on the DMR and the increased frequency shall be indicated on the DMR.
- (5) In the event no discharge from a point source identified in Provision I.A. of this permit and described more fully in the permittee's application occurs during a monitoring period, the permittee shall report "No Discharge" for such period on the appropriate DMR.
- d. All reports and forms required to be submitted by this permit, the AWPCA and the Department's Rules, shall be electronically signed (or, if allowed by the Department, traditionally signed) by a "responsible official" of the permittee as defined in ADEM Administrative Code Rule 335-6-6-.09 or a "duly authorized representative" of such official as defined in ADEM Administrative Code Rule 335-6-6-.09 and shall bear the following certification:

"I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations."

e. Discharge Monitoring Reports required by this permit, the AWPCA, and the Department's Rules that are being submitted in hard copy shall be addressed to:

Alabama Department of Environmental Management
Permits and Services Division
Environmental Data Section
Post Office Box 301463
Montgomery, Alabama 36130-1463

Certified and Registered Mail containing Discharge Monitoring Reports shall be addressed to:

Alabama Department of Environmental Management
Permits and Services Division
Environmental Data Section
1400 Coliseum Boulevard
Montgomery, Alabama 36110-2400

f. All other correspondence and reports required to be submitted by this permit, the AWPCA, and the Department's Rules shall be addressed to:

Alabama Department of Environmental Management
Water Division
Post Office Box 301463
Montgomery, Alabama 36130-1463

Certified and Registered Mail shall be addressed to:

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g. If this permit is a re-issuance, then the permittee shall continue to submit DMRs in accordance with the requirements of their previous permit until such time as DMRs are due as discussed in Part I.C.1.b above.

# 2. Noncompliance Notification

a. 24-Hour Noncompliance Reporting

The permittee shall report to the Director, within 24-hours of becoming aware of the noncompliance, any noncompliance which may endanger health or the environment. This shall include but is not limited to the following circumstances:

- (1) does not comply with any daily minimum or maximum discharge limitation for an effluent characteristic specified in Provision I. A. of this permit which is denoted by an "(X)";
- (2) threatens human health or welfare, fish or aquatic life, or water quality standards;
- does not comply with an applicable toxic pollutant effluent standard or prohibition established under Section 307(a) of the FWPCA, 33 U.S.C. Section 1317(a);
- (4) contains a quantity of a hazardous substance which has been determined may be harmful to public health or welfare under Section 311(b)(4) of the FWPCA, 33 U.S.C. Section 1321(b)(4);
- (5) exceeds any discharge limitation for an effluent characteristic as a result of an unanticipated bypass or upset; and
- (6) is an unpermitted direct or indirect discharge of a pollutant to a water of the state (unpermitted discharges properly reported to the Department under any other requirement are not required to be reported under this provision).

The permittee shall orally report the occurrence and circumstances of such discharge to the Director within 24-hours after the permittee becomes aware of the occurrence of such discharge. In addition to the oral report, the permittee shall submit to the Director or Designee a written report as provided in Part I.C.2.c no later than five (5) days after becoming aware of the occurrence of such discharge.

- b. If for any reason, the permittee's discharge does not comply with any limitation of this permit, the permittee shall submit to the Director or Designee a written report as provided in Part I.C.2.c below, such report shall be submitted with the next Discharge Monitoring Report required to be submitted by Part I.C.1 of this permit after becoming aware of the occurrence of such noncompliance.
- c. Any written report required to be submitted to the Director or Designee by Part I.C.2 a. or b. shall be submitted using a Noncompliance Notification Form (ADEM Form 421) available on the Department's website (<a href="http://adem.alabama.gov/DeptForms/Form421.pdf">http://adem.alabama.gov/DeptForms/Form421.pdf</a>) and include the following information:
  - (1) A description of the discharge and cause of noncompliance;
  - (2) The period of noncompliance, including exact dates and times or, if not corrected, the anticipated time the noncompliance is expected to continue; and
  - (3) A description of the steps taken and/or being taken to reduce or eliminate the noncomplying discharge and to prevent its recurrence.

#### D. OTHER REPORTING AND NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Anticipated Noncompliance

The permittee shall give the Director written advance notice of any planned changes or other circumstances regarding a facility which may result in noncompliance with permit requirements.

2. Termination of Discharge

The permittee shall notify the Director, in writing, when all discharges from any point source(s) identified in Provision I. A. of this permit have permanently ceased. This notification shall serve as sufficient cause for instituting procedures for modification or termination of the permit.

3. Updating Information

- a. The permittee shall inform the Director of any change in the permittee's mailing address, telephone number or in the permittee's designation of a facility contact or office having the authority and responsibility to prevent and abate violations of the AWPCA, the Department's Rules, and the terms and conditions of this permit, in writing, no later than ten (10) days after such change. Upon request of the Director or his designee, the permittee shall furnish the Director with an update of any information provided in the permit application.
- b. If the permittee becomes aware that it failed to submit any relevant facts in a permit application, or submitted incorrect information in a permit application or in any report to the Director, it shall promptly submit such facts or information with a written explanation for the mistake and/or omission.

#### 4. Duty to Provide Information

The permittee shall furnish to the Director, within a reasonable time, any information which the Director or his designee may request to determine whether cause exists for modifying, revoking and re-issuing, suspending, or terminating this permit, in whole or in part, or to determine compliance with this permit.

#### 5. Cooling Water and Boiler Water Additives

- a. The permittee shall notify the Director in writing not later than thirty (30) days prior to instituting the use of any biocide corrosion inhibitor or chemical additive in a cooling or boiler system, not identified in the application for this permit, from which discharge is allowed by this permit. Notification is not required for additives that do not contain a heavy metal(s) as an active ingredient and that pass through a wastewater treatment system prior to discharge nor is notification required for additives that should not reasonably be expected to cause the cooling water or boiler water to exhibit toxicity as determined by analysis of manufacturer's data or testing by the permittee. Such notification shall include:
  - (1) name and general composition of biocide or chemical;
  - (2) 96-hour median tolerance limit data for organisms representative of the biota of the waterway into which the discharge will ultimately reach;
  - (2) quantities to be used;
  - (3) frequencies of use;
  - (4) proposed discharge concentrations; and
  - (6) EPA registration number, if applicable.
- b. The use of a biocide or additive containing tributyl tin, tributyl tin oxide, zinc, chromium or related compounds in cooling or boiler system(s), from which a discharge regulated by this permit occurs, is prohibited except as exempted below. The use of a biocide or additive containing zinc, chromium or related compounds may be used in special circumstances if (1) the permit contains limits for these substances, or (2) the applicant demonstrates during the application process that the use of zinc, chromium or related compounds as a biocide or additive will not pose a reasonable potential to violate the applicable State water quality standards for these substances. The use of any additive, not identified in this permit or in the application for this permit or not exempted from notification under this permit is prohibited, prior to a determination by the Department that permit modification to control discharge of the additive is not required or prior to issuance of a permit modification controlling discharge of the additive.

#### Permit Issued Based On Estimated Characteristics

- a. If this permit was issued based on estimates of the characteristics of a process discharge reported on an EPA NPDES Application Form 2D (EPA Form 3510-2D), the permittee shall complete and submit an EPA NPDES Application Form 2C (EPA Form 3510-2C) no later than two years after the date that discharge begins. Sampling required for completion of the Form 2C shall occur when a discharge(s) from the process(s) causing the new or increased discharge is occurring. If this permit was issued based on estimates concerning the composition of a stormwater discharge(s), the permittee shall perform the sampling required by EPA NPDES Application Form 2F (EPA Form 3510-2F) no later than one year after the industrial activity generating the stormwater discharge has been fully initiated.
- b. This permit shall be reopened if required to address any new information resulting from the completion and submittal of the Form 2C and or 2F.

# E. SCHEDULE OF COMPLIANCE

1. The permittee shall achieve compliance with the discharge limitations specified in Provision I. A. in accordance with the following schedule:

# COMPLIANCE SHALL BE ATTAINED ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS PERMIT

2. No later than 14 calendar days following a date identified in the above schedule of compliance, the permittee shall submit either a report of progress or, in the case of specific actions being required by identified dates, a written notice of compliance or noncompliance. In the latter case, the notice shall include the cause of noncompliance, any remedial actions taken, and the probability of meeting the next scheduled requirement.

# PART II OTHER REQUIREMENTS, RESPONSIBILITIES, AND DUTIES

# A. OPERATIONAL AND MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS

#### 1. Facilities Operation and Maintenance

The permittee shall at all times properly operate and maintain all facilities and systems of treatment and control (and related appurtenances) which are installed or used by the permittee to achieve compliance with the conditions of the permit. Proper operation and maintenance includes effective performance, adequate funding, adequate operator staffing and training, and adequate laboratory and process controls, including appropriate quality assurance procedures. This provision requires the operation of backup or auxiliary facilities only when necessary to achieve compliance with the conditions of the permit.

# 2. Best Management Practices

- a. Dilution water shall not be added to achieve compliance with discharge limitations except when the Director or his designee has granted prior written authorization for dilution to meet water quality requirements.
- b. The permittee shall prepare, implement, and maintain a Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) Plan in accordance with 40 C.F.R. Section 112 if required thereby.
- c. The permittee shall prepare, submit for approval and implement a Best Management Practices (BMP) Plan for containment of any or all process liquids or solids, in a manner such that these materials do not present a significant potential for discharge, if so required by the Director or his designee. When submitted and approved, the BMP Plan shall become a part of this permit and all requirements of the BMP Plan shall become requirements of this permit.

# 3. Spill Prevention, Control, and Management

The permittee shall provide spill prevention, control, and/or management sufficient to prevent any spills of pollutants from entering a water of the state or a publicly or privately owned treatment works. Any containment system used to implement this requirement shall be constructed of materials compatible with the substance(s) contained and which shall prevent the contamination of groundwater and such containment system shall be capable of retaining a volume equal to 110 percent of the capacity of the largest tank for which containment is provided.

# B. OTHER RESPONSIBILITIES

# 1. Duty to Mitigate Adverse Impacts

The permittee shall promptly take all reasonable steps to mitigate and minimize or prevent any adverse impact on human health or the environment resulting from noncompliance with any discharge limitation specified in Provision I. A. of this permit, including such accelerated or additional monitoring of the discharge and/or the receiving waterbody as necessary to determine the nature and impact of the noncomplying discharge.

#### 2. Right of Entry and Inspection

The permittee shall allow the Director, or an authorized representative, upon the presentation of proper credentials and other documents as may be required by law to:

- a. enter upon the permittee's premises where a regulated facility or activity or point source is located or conducted, or where records must be kept under the conditions of the permit;
- b. have access to and copy, at reasonable times, any records that must be kept under the conditions of the permit;
- inspect any facilities, equipment (including monitoring and control equipment), practices, or operations regulated or required under the permit; and
- sample or monitor, for the purposes of assuring permit compliance or as otherwise authorized by the AWPCA, any substances or parameters at any location.

#### C. BYPASS AND UPSET

#### 1. Bypass

- a. Any bypass is prohibited except as provided in b. and c. below:
- b. A bypass is not prohibited if:
  - (1) It does not cause any discharge limitation specified in Provision I. A. of this permit to be exceeded;

- (2) It enters the same receiving stream as the permitted outfall; and
- (3) It is necessary for essential maintenance of a treatment or control facility or system to assure efficient operation of such facility or system.
- c. A bypass is not prohibited and need not meet the discharge limitations specified in Provision I. A. of this permit if:
  - (1) It is unavoidable to prevent loss of life, personal injury, or severe property damage;
  - (2) There are no feasible alternatives to the bypass, such as the use of auxiliary treatment facilities, retention of untreated wastes, or maintenance during normal periods of equipment downtime (this condition is not satisfied if adequate back-up equipment should have been installed in the exercise of reasonable engineering judgment to prevent a bypass which occurred during normal periods of equipment downtime or preventive maintenance); and
  - (3) The permittee submits a written request for authorization to bypass to the Director at least ten (10) days prior to the anticipated bypass (if possible), the permittee is granted such authorization, and the permittee complies with any conditions imposed by the Director to minimize any adverse impact on human health or the environment resulting from the bypass.
- d. The permittee has the burden of establishing that each of the conditions of Provision II.C.1.b. or c. have been met to qualify for an exception to the general prohibition against bypassing contained in a. and an exemption, where applicable, from the discharge limitations specified in Provision I. A. of this permit.

# 2. Upset

- a. A discharge which results from an upset need not meet the discharge limitations specified in Provision I. A. of this permit if:
  - (1) No later than 24-hours after becoming aware of the occurrence of the upset, the permittee orally reports the occurrence and circumstances of the upset to the Director or his designee; and
  - No later than five (5) days after becoming aware of the occurrence of the upset, the permittee furnishes the Director with evidence, including properly signed, contemporaneous operating logs, or other relevant evidence, demonstrating that (i) an upset occurred; (ii) the permittee can identify the specific cause(s) of the upset; (iii) the permittee's facility was being properly operated at the time of the upset; and (iv) the permittee promptly took all reasonable steps to minimize any adverse impact on human health or the environment resulting from the upset.
- b. The permittee has the burden of establishing that each of the conditions of Provision II. C.2.a. of this permit have been met to qualify for an exemption from the discharge limitations specified in Provision I.A. of this permit.

# D. DUTY TO COMPLY WITH PERMIT, RULES, AND STATUTES

- Duty to Comply
  - a. The permittee must comply with all conditions of this permit. Any permit noncompliance constitutes a violation of the AWPCA and the FWPCA and is grounds for enforcement action, for permit termination, revocation and reissuance, suspension, modification; or denial of a permit renewal application.
  - b. The necessity to halt or reduce production or other activities in order to maintain compliance with the conditions of the permit shall not be a defense for a permittee in an enforcement action.
  - c. The discharge of a pollutant from a source not specifically identified in the permit application for this permit and not specifically included in the description of an outfall in this permit is not authorized and shall constitute noncompliance with this permit.
  - d. The permittee shall take all reasonable steps, including cessation of production or other activities, to minimize or prevent any violation of this permit or to minimize or prevent any adverse impact of any permit violation.
  - e. Nothing in this permit shall be construed to preclude and negate the permittee's responsibility or liability to apply for, obtain, or comply with other ADEM, Federal, State, or Local Government permits, certifications, licenses, or other approvals.

#### 2. Removed Substances

Solids, sludges, filter backwash, or any other pollutant or other waste removed in the course of treatment or control of wastewaters shall be disposed of in a manner that complies with all applicable Department Rules.

#### 3. Loss or Failure of Treatment Facilities

Upon the loss or failure of any treatment facilities, including but not limited to the loss or failure of the primary source of power of the treatment facility, the permittee shall, where necessary to maintain compliance with the discharge limitations specified in Provision I. A. of this permit, or any other terms or conditions of this permit, cease, reduce, or otherwise control production and/or all discharges until treatment is restored. If control of discharge during loss or failure of the primary source of power is to be accomplished by means of alternate power sources, standby generators, or retention of inadequately treated effluent, the permittee must furnish to the Director within six months a certification that such control mechanisms have been installed.

#### 4. Compliance with Statutes and Rules

- a. This permit has been issued under ADEM Administrative Code, Chapter 335-6-6. All provisions of this chapter, that are applicable to this permit, are hereby made a part of this permit. A copy of this chapter may be obtained for a small charge from the Office of General Counsel, Alabama Department of Environmental Management, 1400 Coliseum Blvd., Montgomery, AL 36130.
- b. This permit does not authorize the noncompliance with or violation of any Laws of the State of Alabama or the United States of America or any regulations or rules implementing such laws. FWPCA, 33 U.S.C. Section 1319, and Code of Alabama 1975, Section 22-22-14.

#### E. PERMIT TRANSFER, MODIFICATION, SUSPENSION, REVOCATION, AND REISSUANCE

- 1. Duty to Reapply or Notify of Intent to Cease Discharge
  - a. If the permittee intends to continue to discharge beyond the expiration date of this permit, the permittee shall file a complete permit application for reissuance of this permit at least 180 days prior to its expiration. If the permittee does not intend to continue discharge beyond the expiration of this permit, the permittee shall submit written notification of this intent which shall be signed by an individual meeting the signatory requirements for a permit application as set forth in ADEM Administrative Code Rule 335-6-6-.09.
  - b. Failure of the permittee to apply for reissuance at least 180 days prior to permit expiration will void the automatic continuation of the expiring permit provided by ADEM Administrative Code Rule 335-6-6-.06 and should the permit not be reissued for any reason any discharge after expiration of this permit will be an unpermitted discharge.

#### 2. Change in Discharge

- a. The permittee shall apply for a permit modification at least 180 days in advance of any facility expansion, production increase, process change, or other action that could result in the discharge of additional pollutants or increase the quantity of a discharged pollutant such that existing permit limitations would be exceeded or that could result in an additional discharge point. This requirement applies to pollutants that are or that are not subject to discharge limitations in this permit. No new or increased discharge may begin until the Director has authorized it by issuance of a permit modification or a reissued permit.
- b. The permittee shall notify the Director as soon as it is known or there is reason to believe:
  - That any activity has occurred or will occur which would result in the discharge on a routine or frequent basis, of any toxic pollutant which is not limited in this permit, if that discharge will exceed the highest of the following notification levels:
    - (a) one hundred micrograms per liter;
    - (b) two hundred micrograms per liter for acrolein and acrylonitrile; five hundred micrograms per liter for 2,4-dinitrophenol and for 2-methyl-4,6-dini-trophenol; and one milligram per liter for antimony;
    - (c) five times the maximum concentration value reported for that pollutant in the permit application; or
  - (2) That any activity has occurred or will occur which would result in any discharge, on a non-routine or infrequent basis, of a toxic pollutant which is not limited in the permit, if that discharge will exceed the highest of the following notification levels:
    - (a) five hundred micrograms per liter;
    - (b) one milligram per liter for antimony;
    - (c) ten times the maximum concentration value reported for that pollutant in the permit application.

#### 3. Transfer of Permit

This permit may not be transferred or the name of the permittee changed without notice to the Director and subsequent modification or revocation and reissuance of the permit to identify the new permittee and to incorporate any other changes as may be required under the FWPCA or AWPCA. In the case of a change in name, ownership or control of the permittee's premises only, a request for permit modification in a format acceptable to the Director is required at least 30 days prior to the change. In the case of a change in name, ownership or control of the permittee's premises accompanied by a change or proposed change in effluent characteristics, a complete permit application is required to be submitted to the Director at least 180 days prior to the change. Whenever the Director is notified of a change in name, ownership or control, he may decide not to modify the existing permit and require the submission of a new permit application.

#### 4. Permit Modification and Revocation

- a. This permit may be modified or revoked and reissued, in whole or in part, during its term for cause, including but not limited to, the following:
  - (1) If cause for termination under Provision II. E. 5. of this permit exists, the Director may choose to revoke and reissue this permit instead of terminating the permit;
  - (2) If a request to transfer this permit has been received, the Director may decide to revoke and reissue or to modify the permit; or
  - (3) If modification or revocation and reissuance is requested by the permittee and cause exists, the Director may grant the request.
- b. This permit may be modified during its term for cause, including but not limited to, the following:
  - (1) If cause for termination under Provision II. E. 5. of this permit exists, the Director may choose to modify this permit instead of terminating this permit;
  - (2) There are material and substantial alterations or additions to the facility or activity generating wastewater which occurred after permit issuance which justify the application of permit conditions that are different or absent in the existing permit;
  - (3) The Director has received new information that was not available at the time of permit issuance and that would have justified the application of different permit conditions at the time of issuance;
  - (4) A new or revised requirement(s) of any applicable standard or limitation is promulgated under Sections 301(b)(2)(C), (D), (E), and (F), and 307(a)(2) of the FWPCA;
  - (5) Errors in calculation of discharge limitations or typographical or clerical errors were made;
  - (6) To the extent allowed by ADEM Administrative Code, Rule 335-6-6-.17, when the standards or regulations on which the permit was based have been changed by promulgation of amended standards or regulations or by judicial decision after the permit was issued;
  - (7) To the extent allowed by ADEM Administrative Code, Rule 335-6-6-.17, permits may be modified to change compliance schedules;
  - (8) To agree with a granted variance under 30l(c), 30l(g), 30l(h), 30l(k), or 3l6(a) of the FWPCA or for fundamentally different factors;
  - (9) To incorporate an applicable 307(a) FWPCA toxic effluent standard or prohibition;
  - (10) When required by the reopener conditions in this permit;
  - (11) When required under 40 CFR 403.8(e) (compliance schedule for development of pretreatment program);
  - (12) Upon failure of the state to notify, as required by Section 402(b)(3) of the FWPCA, another state whose waters may be affected by a discharge permitted by this permit;
  - (13) When required to correct technical mistakes, such as errors in calculation, or mistaken interpretations of law made in determining permit conditions; or
  - When requested by the permittee and the Director determines that the modification has cause and will not result in a violation of federal or state law, regulations or rules.

#### 5. Permit Termination

This permit may be terminated during its term for cause, including but not limited to, the following:

- a. Violation of any term or condition of this permit;
- b. The permittee's misrepresentation or failure to disclose fully all relevant facts in the permit application or during the permit issuance process or the permittee's misrepresentation of any relevant facts at any time;
- c. Materially false or inaccurate statements or information in the permit application or the permit;
- d. A change in any condition that requires either a temporary or permanent reduction or elimination of the permitted discharge;
- e. The permittee's discharge threatens human life or welfare or the maintenance of water quality standards;
- f. Permanent closure of the facility generating the wastewater permitted to be discharged by this permit or permanent cessation of wastewater discharge;
- g. New or revised requirements of any applicable standard or limitation that is promulgated under Sections 301(b)(2)(C), (D), (E), and (F), and 307(a)(2) of the FWPCA that the Director determines cannot be complied with by the permittee; or
- h. Any other cause allowed by the ADEM Administrative Code, Chapter 335-6-6.

#### 6. Permit Suspension

This permit may be suspended during its term for noncompliance until the permittee has taken action(s) necessary to achieve compliance.

7. Request for Permit Action Does Not Stay Any Permit Requirement

The filing of a request by the permittee for modification, suspension or revocation of this permit, in whole or in part, does not stay any permit term or condition.

#### F. COMPLIANCE WITH TOXIC POLLUTANT STANDARD OR PROHIBITION

If any applicable effluent standard or prohibition (including any schedule of compliance specified in such effluent standard or prohibition) is established under Section 307(a) of the FWPCA, 33 U.S.C. Section 1317(a), for a toxic pollutant discharged by the permittee and such standard or prohibition is more stringent than any discharge limitation on the pollutant specified in Provision I. A. of this permit, or controls a pollutant not limited in Provision I. A. of this permit, this permit shall be modified to conform to the toxic pollutant effluent standard or prohibition and the permittee shall be notified of such modification. If this permit has not been modified to conform to the toxic pollutant effluent standard or prohibition before the effective date of such standard or prohibition, the permittee shall attain compliance with the requirements of the standard or prohibition within the time period required by the standard or prohibition and shall continue to comply with the standard or prohibition until this permit is modified or reissued.

#### G. DISCHARGE OF WASTEWATER GENERATED BY OTHERS

The discharge of wastewater, generated by any process, facility, or by any other means not under the operational control of the permittee or not identified in the application for this permit or not identified specifically in the description of an outfall in this permit is not authorized by this permit.

# PART III OTHER PERMIT CONDITIONS

#### A. CIVIL AND CRIMINAL LIABILITY

# 1. Tampering

Any person who falsifies, tampers with, or knowingly renders inaccurate any monitoring device or method required to be maintained or performed under the permit shall, upon conviction, be subject to penalties as provided by the AWPCA.

#### False Statements

Any person who knowingly makes any false statement, representation, or certification in any record or other document submitted or required to be maintained under this permit, including monitoring reports or reports of compliance or noncompliance shall, upon conviction, be subject to penalties as provided by the AWPCA.

#### 3. Permit Enforcement

- a. Any NPDES permit issued or reissued by the Department is a permit for the purpose of the AWPCA and the FWPCA and as such any terms, conditions, or limitations of the permit are enforceable under state and federal law.
- b. Any person required to have a NPDES permit pursuant to ADEM Administrative Code Chapter 335-6-6 and who discharges pollutants without said permit, who violates the conditions of said permit, who discharges pollutants in a manner not authorized by the permit, or who violates applicable orders of the Department or any applicable rule or standard of the Department, is subject to any one or combination of the following enforcement actions under applicable state statutes.
  - (1) An administrative order requiring abatement, compliance, mitigation, cessation, clean-up, and/or penalties;
  - An action for damages;
  - (3) An action for injunctive relief; or
  - (4) An action for penalties.
- c. If the permittee is not in compliance with the conditions of an expiring or expired permit the Director may choose to do any or all of the following provided the permittee has made a timely and complete application for reissuance of the permit:
  - (1) initiate enforcement action based upon the permit which has been continued;
  - (2) issue a notice of intent to deny the permit reissuance. If the permit is denied, the owner or operator would then be required to cease the activities authorized by the continued permit or be subject to enforcement action for operating without a permit;
  - (3) reissue the new permit with appropriate conditions; or
  - (4) take other actions authorized by these rules and AWPCA.

# Relief from Liability

Except as provided in Provision II.C.1 (Bypass) and Provision II.C.2 (Upset), nothing in this permit shall be construed to relieve the permittee of civil or criminal liability under the AWPCA or FWPCA for noncompliance with any term or condition of this permit.

# B. OIL AND HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE LIABILITY

Nothing in this permit shall be construed to preclude the institution of any legal action or relieve the permittee from any responsibilities, liabilities or penalties to which the permittee is or may be subject under Section 311 of the FWPCA, 33 U.S.C. Section 1321.

# C. PROPERTY AND OTHER RIGHTS

This permit does not convey any property rights in either real or personal property, or any exclusive privileges, nor does it authorize any injury to persons or property or invasion of other private rights, trespass, or any infringement of federal, state, or local laws or regulations, nor does it authorize or approve the construction of any physical structures or facilities or the undertaking of any work in any waters of the state or of the United States.

#### D. AVAILABILITY OF REPORTS

Except for data determined to be confidential under <u>Code of Alabama</u> 1975, Section 22-22-9(c), all reports prepared in accordance with the terms of this permit shall be available for public inspection at the offices of the Department. Effluent data shall not be considered confidential.

#### E. EXPIRATION OF PERMITS FOR NEW OR INCREASED DISCHARGES

- 1. If this permit was issued for a new discharger or new source, this permit shall expire eighteen months after the issuance date if construction of the facility has not begun during the eighteen-month period.
- 2. If this permit was issued or modified to allow the discharge of increased quantities of pollutants to accommodate the modification of an existing facility and if construction of this modification has not begun during the eighteen month period after issuance of this permit or permit modification, this permit shall be modified to reduce the quantities of pollutants allowed to be discharged to those levels that would have been allowed if the modification of the facility had not been planned.
- 3. Construction has begun when the owner or operator has:
  - a. begun, or caused to begin as part of a continuous on-site construction program:
    - (1) any placement, assembly, or installation of facilities or equipment; or
    - (2) significant site preparation work including clearing, excavation, or removal of existing buildings, structures, or facilities which is necessary for the placement, assembly, or installation of new source facilities or equipment; or
  - b. entered into a binding contractual obligation for the purpose of placement, assembly, or installation of facilities or equipment which are intended to be used in its operation within a reasonable time. Options to purchase or contracts which can be terminated or modified without substantial loss, and contracts for feasibility, engineering, and design studies do not constitute a contractual obligation under the paragraph. The entering into a lease with the State of Alabama for exploration and production of hydrocarbons shall also be considered beginning construction.

# F. COMPLIANCE WITH WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

- 1. On the basis of the permittee's application, plans, or other available information, the Department has determined that compliance with the terms and conditions of this permit should assure compliance with the applicable water quality standards.
- 2. Compliance with permit terms and conditions notwithstanding, if the permittee's discharge(s) from point sources identified in Provision I. A. of this permit cause or contribute to a condition in contravention of state water quality standards, the Department may require abatement action to be taken by the permittee in emergency situations or modify the permit pursuant to the Department's Rules, or both.
- 3. If the Department determines, on the basis of a notice provided pursuant to this permit or any investigation, inspection or sampling, that a modification of this permit is necessary to assure maintenance of water quality standards or compliance with other provisions of the AWPCA or FWPCA, the Department may require such modification and, in cases of emergency, the Director may prohibit the discharge until the permit has been modified.

#### G. GROUNDWATER

Unless specifically authorized under this permit, this permit does not authorize the discharge of pollutants to groundwater. Should a threat of groundwater contamination occur, the Director may require groundwater monitoring to properly assess the degree of the problem and the Director may require that the Permittee undertake measures to abate any such discharge and/or contamination.

#### H. DEFINITIONS

- 1. Average monthly discharge limitation means the highest allowable average of "daily discharges" over a calendar month, calculated as the sum of all "daily discharges" measured during a calendar month divided by the number of "daily discharges" measured during that month (zero discharge days shall not be included in the number of "daily discharges" measured and a less than detectable test result shall be treated as a concentration of zero if the most sensitive EPA approved method was used).
- 2. Average weekly discharge limitation means the highest allowable average of "daily discharges" over a calendar week, calculated as the sum of all "daily discharges" measured during a calendar week divided by the number of "daily discharges" measured during that week (zero discharge days shall not be included in the number of "daily discharges" measured and a less than detectable test result shall be treated as a concentration of zero if the most sensitive EPA approved method was used).
- 3. Arithmetic Mean means the summation of the individual values of any set of values divided by the number of individual values.

- 4. AWPCA means the Alabama Water Pollution Control Act.
- 5. BOD means the five-day measure of the pollutant parameter biochemical oxygen demand.
- 6. Bypass means the intentional diversion of waste streams from any portion of a treatment facility.
- 7. CBOD means the five-day measure of the pollutant parameter carbonaceous biochemical oxygen demand.
- 8. Daily discharge means the discharge of a pollutant measured during any consecutive 24-hour period in accordance with the sample type and analytical methodology specified by the discharge permit.
- 9. Daily maximum means the highest value of any individual sample result obtained during a day.
- 10. Daily minimum means the lowest value of any individual sample result obtained during a day.
- 11. Day means any consecutive 24-hour period.
- 12. Department means the Alabama Department of Environmental Management.
- 13. Director means the Director of the Department.
- 14. Discharge means "[t]he addition, introduction, leaking, spilling or emitting of any sewage, industrial waste, pollutant or other wastes into waters of the state". <u>Code of Alabama</u> 1975, Section 22-22-1(b)(8).
- 15. Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) means the form approved by the Director to accomplish reporting requirements of an NPDES permit.
- 16. DO means dissolved oxygen.
- 17. 8HC means 8-hour composite sample, including any of the following:
  - a. The mixing of at least 5 equal volume samples collected at constant time intervals of not more than 2 hours over a period of not less than 8 hours between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. If the sampling period exceeds 8 hours, sampling may be conducted beyond the 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. period.
  - b. A sample continuously collected at a constant rate over period of not less than 8 hours between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. If the sampling period exceeds 8 hours, sampling may be conducted beyond the 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. period.
- 18. EPA means the United States Environmental Protection Agency.
- 19. FC means the pollutant parameter fecal coliform.
- 20. Flow means the total volume of discharge in a 24-hour period.
- 21. FWPCA means the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.
- 22. Geometric Mean means the Nth root of the product of the individual values of any set of values where N is equal to the number of individual values. The geometric mean is equivalent to the antilog of the arithmetic mean of the logarithms of the individual values. For purposes of calculating the geometric mean, values of zero (0) shall be considered one (1).
- 23. Grab Sample means a single influent or effluent portion which is not a composite sample. The sample(s) shall be collected at the period(s) most representative of the discharge.
- 24. Indirect Discharger means a nondomestic discharger who discharges pollutants to a publicly owned treatment works or a privately owned treatment facility operated by another person.
- 25. Industrial User means those industries identified in the Standard Industrial Classification manual, Bureau of the Budget 1967, as amended and supplemented, under the category "Division D Manufacturing" and such other classes of significant waste producers as, by regulation, the Director deems appropriate.
- 26. MGD means million gallons per day.
- 27. Monthly Average means, other than for fecal coliform bacteria, the arithmetic mean of the entire composite or grab samples taken for the daily discharges collected in one month period. The monthly average for fecal coliform bacteria is the geometric mean of daily discharge samples collected in a one month period. The monthly average for flow is the arithmetic mean of all flow measurements taken in a one month period.

- 28. New Discharger means a person, owning or operating any building, structure, facility or installation:
  - a. from which there is or may be a discharge of pollutants;
  - b. that did not commence the discharge of pollutants prior to August 13, 1979, and which is not a new source; and
  - c. which has never received a final effective NPDES permit for dischargers at that site.
- 29. NH3-N means the pollutant parameter ammonia, measured as nitrogen.
- 30. Permit application means forms and additional information that is required by ADEM Administrative Code Rule 335-6-6-.08 and applicable permit fees.
- 31. Point source means "any discernible, confined and discrete conveyance, including but not limited to any pipe, channel, ditch, tunnel, conduit, well, discrete fissure, container, rolling stock, concentrated animal feeding operation, or vessel or other floating craft, . . . from which pollutants are or may be discharged." Section 502(14) of the FWPCA, 33 U.S.C. Section 1362(14).
- 32. Pollutant includes for purposes of this permit, but is not limited to, those pollutants specified in <u>Code of Alabama</u> 1975, Section 22-22-1(b)(3) and those effluent characteristics specified in Provision I. A. of this permit.
- 33. Privately Owned Treatment Works means any devices or system which is used to treat wastes from any facility whose operator is not the operator of the treatment works, and which is not a "POTW".
- 34. Publicly Owned Treatment Works means a wastewater collection and treatment facility owned by the State, municipality, regional entity composed of two or more municipalities, or another entity created by the State or local authority for the purpose of collecting and treating municipal wastewater.
- 35. Receiving Stream means the "waters" receiving a "discharge" from a "point source".
- 36. Severe property damage means substantial physical damage to property, damage to the treatment facilities which causes them to become inoperable, or substantial and permanent loss of natural resources which can reasonably be expected to occur in the absence of a bypass. Severe property damage does not mean economic loss caused by delays in production.
- 37. Significant Source means a source which discharges 0.025 MGD or more to a POTW or greater than five percent of the treatment work's capacity, or a source which is a primary industry as defined by the U.S. EPA or which discharges a priority or toxic pollutant.
- 38. Solvent means any virgin, used or spent organic solvent(s) identified in the F-Listed wastes (F001 through F005) specified in 40 CFR 261.31 that is used for the purpose of solubilizing other materials.
- 39. TKN means the pollutant parameter Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen.
- 40. TON means the pollutant parameter Total Organic Nitrogen.
- 41. TRC means Total Residual Chlorine.
- 42. TSS means the pollutant parameter Total Suspended Solids.
- 43. 24HC means 24-hour composite sample, including any of the following:
  - a. the mixing of at least 12 equal volume samples collected at constant time intervals of not more than 2 hours over a period of 24 hours;
  - b. a sample collected over a consecutive 24-hour period using an automatic sampler composite to one sample. As a minimum, samples shall be collected hourly and each shall be no more than one twenty-fourth (1/24) of the total sample volume collected; or
  - c. a sample collected over a consecutive 24-hour period using an automatic composite sampler composited proportional to
- 44. Upset means an exceptional incident in which there is an unintentional and temporary noncompliance with technology-based permit discharge limitations because of factors beyond the reasonable control of the permittee. An upset does not include noncompliance to the extent caused by operational error, improperly designed treatment facilities, inadequate treatment facilities, lack of preventive maintenance, or careless or improper operation.

- Waters means "[a]ll waters of any river, stream, watercourse, pond, lake, coastal, ground or surface water, wholly or partially within the state, natural or artificial. This does not include waters which are entirely confined and retained completely upon the property of a single individual, partnership or corporation unless such waters are used in interstate commerce." Code of Alabama 1975, Section 22-22-1(b)(2). Waters "include all navigable waters" as defined in Section 502(7) of the FWPCA, 22 U.S.C. Section 1362(7), which are within the State of Alabama.
- 46. Week means the period beginning at twelve midnight Saturday and ending at twelve midnight the following Saturday.
- Weekly (7-day and calendar week) Average is the arithmetic mean of all samples collected during a consecutive 7-day period or calendar week, whichever is applicable. The calendar week is defined as beginning on Sunday and ending on Saturday. Weekly averages shall be calculated for all calendar weeks with Saturdays in the month. If a calendar week overlaps two months (i.e., the Sunday is in one month and the Saturday in the following month), the weekly average calculated for the calendar week shall be included in the data for the month that contains the Saturday.

# I. SEVERABILITY

The provisions of this permit are severable, and if any provision of this permit or the application of any provision of this permit to any circumstance is held invalid, the application of such provision to other circumstances, and the remainder of this permit, shall not be affected thereby.

#### ADEM PERMIT RATIONALE

PREPARED DATE: June 17, 2020 PREPARED BY: Alex Chavers REVISION DATE: March 31, 2021 REVISED BY: Wayne Holt

Permittee Name: Buffalo Rock Company

Facility Name: Buffalo Rock Company - Birmingham

Permit Number: AL0082571

PERMIT IS REISSUANCE DUE TO EXPIRATION

DISCHARGE SERIAL NUMBERS & DESCRIPTIONS:

DSN001: Treated reject water from reverse osmosis water treatment system

INDUSTRIAL CATEGORY: NON-CATEGORICAL

MAJOR: N

#### STREAM INFORMATION:

Receiving Stream: Unnamed Tributary to Shades Creek

Classification: Fish and Wildlife
River Basin: Cahaba River Basin

7Q10: 0.0 CFS
7Q2: 0.0 CFS
1Q10: 0.0 CFS
Annual Average Flow: 0.0 CFS

303(d) List: NO
Impairment: N/A

TMDL:  $NO^{1,2}$ 

<sup>1</sup>The receiving stream discharges to Shades Creek, which has a TMDL Developed for Pathogens, Siltation, Turbidity, and Other Habitat Alternation.

# DISCUSSION:

The facility is a manufacturing operation consistent of the production of beverages (soft drinks, water, fruit drinks, etc.) and the introduction of these beverages into bottles and cans. Specific operations include the following: water treatment, batching and mixing, container rinsing, production (filing, warming, packaging, sanitation, washdown, etc.) and can and bottle crushing.

ADEM Administrative Rule 335-6-10-.12 requires applicants to new or expanded discharges to Tier II waters demonstrate that the proposed discharge is necessary for important economic or social development in the area in which the waters are located. The application submitted by the facility is not for a new or expanded discharge. Therefore, the applicant is not required to demonstrate that the discharge is necessary for economic and social development.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>The receiving stream is located in the Cahaba River Watershed, which has an established TMDL for Nutrients.

EPA has not promulgated specific guidelines for the discharges covered under the proposed permit. Proposed permit limits are based on Best Professional Judgment. The proposed frequencies are based on a review of site specific conditions and an evaluation of similar facilities.

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<u>Parameter</u>	Monthly Avg Loading	<u>Daily Max</u> <u>Loading</u>	<u>Daily Min</u> <u>Concentration</u>	Monthly Avg Concentration	<u>Daily Max</u> <u>Concentration</u>	<u>Sample</u> <u>Frequency</u>	Sample Type	Basis*
pH	••	-	6.0 S.U.	-	8.5 S.U.	Weekly	Grab	WQBEL
Solids, Total Suspended	-	-	-	30 mg/l	45 mg/l	Monthly	Composite	ВРЈ
Phosphorus, Total (As P)	-	-	-	-	0.3 mg/l	Monthly	Composite	TMDL
Carbon, Tot Organic (TOC)	-	-	-	-	REPORT mg/l	Monthly	Composite	ВРЈ
Chloride (As Cl)	•	•	-	230 mg/l	860 mg/l	Monthly	Composite	BPJ
Iron Total Recoverable	_	-	-	-	1.0 mg/l	Monthly	Composite	ВРЈ
Aluminum, Total Recoverable	-	-	-	REPORT mg/l	REPORT mg/l	Monthly	Composite	ВРЈ
Flow, In Conduit or Thru Treatment Plant	REPORT MGD	REPORT MGD	-	-	-	Daily	Totalizer	ВРЈ
Chlorine, Total Residual	-	-	-	0.011 mg/l	0.019 mg/l	Monthly	Grab	WQBEL
Solids, Total Dissolved	-	-	-	-	REPORT mg/l	Monthly	Composite	BPJ

# \*Basis for Permit Limitation

- BPJ Best Professional Judgment
- WQBEL Water Quality Based Effluent Limits
- EGL Federal Effluent Guideline Limitations
- 303(d) 303(d) List of Impaired Waters
- TMDL Total Maximum Daily Load Requirements

#### Discussion

This permit will authorize the discharge of reject waters associated with a reverse osmosis water treatment system. The facility has additional process waste streams that are authorized to discharge under SID Permit IU393700274 and stormwater discharges that are provided coverage under ALG150150.

# Best Professional Judgment (BPJ)

The parameters of concern for this facility are based on the parameters of concern listed in EPA form 2F and from the current permit. These parameters are consistent with similar facilities in the state and have been proven reflective of the operations at this facility. The parameters with specific limits are discussed below:

# **Total Suspended Solids**

The existing daily maximum and monthly average limitations of 45 mg/l and 30 mg/l, respectively, are based on EPA's secondary treatment standards and will be continued in this permit issuance.

#### **Total Chlorides**

The existing daily maximum and monthly average limitations of 230 mg/l and 860 mg/l, respectively, are based on permits for similar discharges and EPA's National Recommended Water Quality Criteria and will be continued in this permit issuance.

#### Total Organic Carbon, Total Dissolved Solids

Monitoring for these parameters will be continued in this permit issuance based on permits for similar discharges.

#### Total Recoverable Iron

Conditional monitoring will be continued for this parameters based on the characteristics of the water treatment system. Specific requirements are found in Part I.A of the Permit. In the case that Total Recoverable Iron must be sampled, the limitation is based on EPA's recommended acute water quality criteria.

# Water Quality Based Effluent Limits (WQBEL)

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ADEM Administrative Code, Division 6 Regulations, specifically 335-6-10-.09(5)(e)2 – Specific Water Quality for Fish and Wildlife classified streams states: "Sewage, industrial waste or other wastes shall not cause the pH to deviate more than one unit from then normal or natural pH, nor be less than 6.0, nor greater than 8.5 standard units." This limitation is consistent with that of similar permits is protective of water quality in the receiving stream.

#### Total Residual Chlorine (TRC)

End-of-pipe limitations based on the in-stream water quality standard for TRC will be continued in this permit issuance due to low-flow conditions of 0.0 CFS.

In accordance with a letter dated August 11, 1998 from EPA Headquarters and a 1991 memorandum from EPA Regions 4's Environmental Services Division (ESD), due to testing and method detection limitations, a Total Residual Chlorine measurement below 0.05 mg/l shall be considered below detection for compliance purposes.

# **Total Recoverable Aluminum**

Water-quality based effluent limitations will be continued in this permit issuance. A review of historical data indicates that aluminum has the potential to be present in the discharge

# Federal Effluent Guideline Limitations (EGL)

No federal effluent guidelines have been promulgated for discharges from this facility.

# 303(d) List of Impaired Waters/Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL)

The receiving stream is not listed on the 2020 303(d) List of Impaired Waters nor has a TMDL been developed. The receiving stream discharges to Shades Creek, which has an established TMDL for Pathogens, Siltation, Turbidity, and Other Habitat Alternation. Additionally, the discharge is located within the Cahaba River Basin, which has an established TMDL for Nutrients.

# **Nutrients (Total Phosphorus)**

To be consistent with the requirements of the TMDL for the Cahaba River Basin, a daily maximum limitation of 0.3 mg/l for Total Phosphorus is proposed for this permit issuance; however, monitoring conditional monitoring requirements will be continued.

## Pathogens, Siltation, Turbidity, and Other Habitat Alteration

The existing permit requirements are consistent with the Shades Creek TMDL; therefore, no additional limitations are proposed for this permit issuance.

Best Management Practices (BMPs) are believed to be the most effective way to control the contamination of stormwater from areas of industrial activities. This facility is required to maintain a BMP plan. The requirements of the BMP plan call for minimization of stormwater contact with waste materials, products and by-products, and for prevention of spills or loss of fluids from equipment maintenance activities. The effectiveness of the BMPs will be measured through the monitoring of the pollutants of concern.

#### Revision: March 31, 2021

Based on comments from the facility and a review of Water Quality Criteria, limits for Total Recoverable Aluminum have been changed to "Report Only". The monitoring frequency for aluminum shall be continued.

# ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT (ADEM) NPDES INDIVIDUAL PERMIT APPLICATION SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR INDUSTRIAL FACILITIES

Instructions: This form should be used to submit the required supplementary information for an application for an NPDES individual permit for industrial facilities. The completed application should be submitted to ADEM in duplicate. If insufficient space is available to address any item, please continue on an attached sheet of paper. Please mark "N/A" in the appropriate box when an item is not applicable to the applicant. Please type or print legibly in blue or black ink. Mail the completed application to:

	In P	DEM-Water Division dustrial Section O Box 301463 ontgomery, AL 36130-1463	DECEIVED APR 0-2 2020
	PURPOS	SE OF THIS APPLICATION	
		Initial Permit Application for Existing Fac	IND/MUN BRANCH
님	<del>-</del>	Reissuance of Existing Permit	
Ц		a application for participation in the ADEM's Elec bmitted to allow permittee to electronically submi	
SE	ECTION A - GENERAL INFORMATION		
1.	. Facility Name: Buffalo Rock Company		
	a. Operator Name: Buffalo Rock Compar	ny	
	<ul> <li>b. Is the operator identified in A.1.a, the owner of the If no, provide name and address of the operator a facility.</li> </ul>	e facility?   Yes   No  and submit information indicating the ope	erator's scope of responsibility for the
2. 3. 4. 5.	SID Permit Number (if applicable): IU 3 9 - 3  NPDES General Permit Number (if applicable): ALG _  Facility Physical Location: (Attach a map with location)	7 <u>0 0 2 7 4</u> 1 5 0 1 5 0	
,	Street: 111 Oxmoor Road	Alahama	35300
	City: Birmingham County: Jeffers		Zip: 35209
	Facility Location (Front Gate): Latitude: 33.457910	OLongitude:	-86.835581
6.	PO Roy 100/8		
	County: Jeffers	sonState: Alabama	<sub>Zip:</sub> 35209
7.			
	Name and Title: Mike McDonald, Vice Pr	esident	
	Address: PO Box 10048		
	<sub>City:</sub> Birmingham	state: Alabama	Zip: 35209
	Phone Number: 205-942-3435	Email Address: mmcdonald@bu	ffalorock.com
8.	•		
	Name and Title: Jamishia Hampton, Qua		
	Phone Number: 205-942-3435	Email Address: jhampton@buffa	llorock.com

9.	<ol> <li>Designated Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) Contact: Name and Title: Gary Huffstuttler, Sanitation Superir</li> </ol>	tendent	
	Phone Number: 205-942-3435 Email Address: 9		k.com
10	10. Type of Business Entity:		-
10.	■ Corporation ☐ General Partnership ☐ Limited Partnership ☐ Other (Please Specify)		☐ Sole Proprietorship
11.	1. Complete this section if the Applicant's business entity is a Corporation		
	a) Location of Incorporation:  Address: PO Box 10048		
	City: Birmingham County: Jefferson	<sub>State:</sub> Alabama <sub>Zip</sub>	<u>:35</u> 209
	b) Parent Corporation of Applicant:  Name: N/A		
	Address:		
	City:State:	Zip:	· <u> </u>
	c) <u>Subsidiary Corporation(s) of Applicant</u> :  Name: N/A		
	Address:		·
	City:State:	Zip:	
	d) <u>Corporate Officers</u> : Name: Mike McDonald, Vice President		
	Address: PO Box 10048		
	City: BirminghamState: Alabai	maz <sub>ip:</sub>	35209
	Name:		
	Address:		
	City:State:		
	e) Agent designated by the corporation for purposes of service:  Name: N/A		
	Address:		
	City:State:	Zip:	
12.	2. If the Applicant's business entity is a Partnership, please list the general	partners.	
	Name: Nar	me:	
	Address: Add	Iress:	
	City:State:Zip: City	r:State:	Zip:

13.	If the Applicant's business entity is	a Proprietorship, please	enter the proprietor's informa	ation.	
	Name:				
	Address:				·
	City:	Stat	te:		Zip:
14.	Permit numbers for Applicant's pre Permits presently held by the Applic				
	Permit Name	<u>P</u>	ermit Number		<u>Held By</u>
	SID	IU39370	00274 I	Buffalo	o Rock Company
	NPDES Stormwater	ALG150	150	Buffalo	Rock Company
15.	Identify all Administrative Complaint if any, against the Applicant, its par (attach additional sheets if necessal	ent corporation or subsid	irectives, Administrative Ordering corporations within the	ers, or Lit	tigation concerning water pollution,
	Facility Name	Permit Number	Type of Action		Date of Action
	Buffalo Rock Company	ALG150150	Notice of Violation	n	10/1/2017
	Buffalo Rock Company	AL0082571	Category 1 NonComp	liance	4/1/2018
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<u>3) c</u>	ontainer rinsing 4) pro	duction (filling, warming, pa	ckag	jing, sanitation, washdown, ef	tc.) 5) can and bottle crushing.
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- 4. Do	you have, or plan to have,	automatic sampling equi	pment or continuous was	stewater flow meteri	ng equipment at this facility?
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14. What is the through	-screen design intal	ce flow velocity?	ft/sec				
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16. What is the mechar	nism for cleaning the	screen? (e.g., does it ro	ate for clear	ning)			
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Does the project require new construction?							
Will the project be	e a source of new aid	r emissions?	••••••••		***************************************		Ц

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		168	NO
3	Does the project involve dredging and/or filling of a wetland area or water way?		
	If Yes, has the Corps of Engineers (COE) permit been received?  COE Project No		
4.	Does the project involve wetlands and/or submersed grassbeds?		
5.	Are oyster reefs located near the project site?		
	If Yes, include a map showing project and discharge location with respect to oyster reefs		
6.	Does the project involve the site development, construction and operation of an energy facility as defined in ADEM Admin. Code r. 335-8-102(bb)?		
7.	Does the project involve mitigation of shoreline or coastal area erosion?		
8	Does the project involve construction on beaches or dune areas?		
9.	Will the project interfere with public access to coastal waters?		
1	Does the project lie within the 100-year floodplain?		
1	Does the project involve the registration, sale, use, or application of pesticides?		
1:	12. Does the project propose or require construction of a new well or to alter an existing groundwater well to pump more than 50 gallons per day (GPD)?		
	If yes, has the applicable permit for groundwater recovery or for groundwater well installation been		•
	obtained?		
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A.	What environmental or public health problem will the discharger be correcting?		
	N/A - NOT A NEW DISCHARGE AND NOT INCREASING DISCHARGE		
B. C.	How much will the discharger be increasing employment (at its existing facility or as the result of locating a new  How much reduction in employment will the discharger be avoiding?	facility)	? ——-
	How much additional state or local taxes will the discharger be paying?	_	
E.	What public service to the community will the discharger be providing?		
F.	What economic or social benefit will the discharger be providing to the community?		

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# SECTION H - EPA Application Forms

All Applicants must submit EPA permit application forms. More than one application form may be required from a facility depending on the number and types of discharges or outfalls found. The EPA application forms are found on the Department's website at <a href="http://www.adem.alabama.gov/programs/water/waterforms.cnt">http://www.adem.alabama.gov/programs/water/waterforms.cnt</a>. The EPA application forms must be submitted in duplicate as follows:

- 1. All applicants must submit Form 1.
- Applicants for existing industrial facilities (including manufacturing facilities, commercial facilities, mining activities, and silvicultural activities) which discharge process wastewater must submit Form 2C.
- 3. Applicants for new industrial facilities which propose to discharge process wastewater must submit Form 2D.
- Applicants for new and existing industrial facilities which discharge only non-process wastewater (i.e., non-contact cooling water and/or sanitary wastewater) must submit Form 2E.
- 5. Applicants for new and existing facilities whose discharge is composed entirely of storm water associated with industrial activity must submit Form 2F, unless exempted by § 122.26(c)(1)(ii). If the discharge is composed of storm water and non-storm water, the applicant must also submit Forms 2C, 2D, and/or 2E, as appropriate (in addition to Form 2F).

# SECTION I - ENGINEERING REPORT/BMP PLAN REQUIREMENTS

See ADEM 335-6-6-.08(i) & (j)

# SECTION J- RECEIVING WATERS

Outfall No.	Receiving Water(s)	303(d) Se	Included in TMDL?*		
	UT TO SHADES CREEK	☐ Yes	■No	☐ Yes	■No
		☐ Yes	□No	☐ Yes	□No
		☐ Yes	□No	Yes	□No
		☐ Yes	□No	Yes	□No
		☐ Yes	□No	☐ Yes	□No

<sup>\*</sup>If a TMDL Compliance Schedule is requested, the following should be attached as supporting documentation:

- (1) Justification for the requested Compliance Schedule (e.g. time for design and installation of control equipment, etc.);
- (2) Monitoring results for the pollutant(s) of concern which have not previously been submitted to the Department (sample collection dates, analytical results (mass and concentration), methods utilized, MDL/ML, etc. should be submitted as available);
- (3) Requested interim limitations, if applicable;
- (4) Date of final compliance with the TMDL limitations; and,
- (5) Any other additional information available to support requested compliance schedule.

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## SECTION K -- APPLICATION CERTIFICATION

The information contained in this form must be certified by a responsible official as defined in ADEM Administrative Code r. 335-6-6-.09 "signatories to permit applications and reports" (see below).

"I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations."

Signature of Responsible Official:	Mon Da	te Signed: 3-25-20
Name and Title: Mike McDonald, Vice F		
If the Responsible Official signing this application is not Mailing Address: PO BOX 10048	nt identified in Section A.7, provide the follow	ving information:
<sub>City:</sub> Birmingham	<sub>State:</sub> Alabama	<sub>Zip:</sub> 35209
Phone Number: 205-942-3435	Email Address: mmcdon	ald@buffalorock.com

## 335-6-6-.09 SIGNATORIES TO PERMIT APPLICATIONS AND REPORTS.

- (1) The application for an NPDES permit shall be signed by a responsible official, as indicated below:
  - (a) In the case of a corporation, by a principal executive officer of at least the level of vice president, or a manager assigned or delegated in accordance with corporate procedures, with such delegation submitted in writing if required by the Department, who is responsible for manufacturing, production, or operating facilities and is authorized to make management decisions which govern the operation of the regulated facility;
  - (b) In the case of a partnership, by a general partner;
  - (c) In the case of a sole proprietorship, by the proprietor; or
  - (d) In the case of a municipal, state, federal, or other public entity, by either a principal executive officer, or ranking elected official.

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State

Alabama

Street or P.O. box PO Box 10078

City or town

Birmingham

ZIP code

35202

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ed ed	2.5	Facility Locatio	n								
Addres		Street, route number, or other specific identifier 111 Oxmoor Road									
Name, Mailing Address, and Location Continued		County name Jefferson		County code (	if known)						
Name, and Lo		City or town Birmingham		State Alabama		ZIP code 30202					
SECTIO	N 3. SIC	AND NAICS COD	ES (40 CFR 12	22.21(f)(3))							
	3.1	SIC Co	de(s)	Description (	optional)						
		2086	400 C 1 1 2 4 8 00	Bottled and ca	nned soft drinks						
Code											
SIC and NAICS Codes	3.2	NAICS C	ode(s)	Description (	optional)						
Cand		1000	040(0)	Dedon palen (	орионалу						
S											
SECTIO		ERATOR INFORM		R 122.21(f)(4))	marks to see a transfer of the						
	4.1	Name of Operat	or								
		Mike McDonald,	Vice President								
tion	4.2	Is the name you listed in Item 4.1 also the owner?									
Operator Information		☐ Yes ☑ No									
마	4.3	Operator Status		_							
erate		☐ Public—fede	eral L	Public—state	☐ Other	r public (specify)					
ŏ		☑ Private	L	Other (specify)							
	4.4	Phone Number	of Operator								
	1	(205) 942-3435									
_	4.5	Operator Addre	ss								
atio		Street or P.O. Bo									
Ta par		111 Oxmoor Road	d								
Operator Information Continued		City or town		State		ZIP code					
Cor		Birmingham		Alabama		35202					
ber		Email address of									
0	-	mmcdonald@buf	falorock.com								
SECTIO	N 5. IND	IAN LAND (40 CF	R 122.21(f)(5))								
ian	5.1	Is the facility loca	ited on Indian L	and?							
Indian		☐ Yes ☑	No								

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SECTIO	N 6. EXI	STING ENVIRON	MENTAL PERMITS (40	CFR 122.21(f)(	5))					
=	6.1	Existing Envir	onmental Permits (che	(check all that apply and print or type the corresponding permit number for each)						
Existing Environmental Permits		NPDES (d water) ALG15015		RCRA (hazar		UIC (underground injection of fluids)				
ng Envirol Permits		☐ PSD (air e		Nonattainmen	t program (CAA)	☐ NESHAPs (CAA)				
Existi		Ocean dur	nping (MPRSA)	Dredge or fill	CWA Section 404)	Other (specify) SID IU393700274				
SECTIO	N 7. MA	P (40 CFR 122.2	1(f)(7))							
Мар	7.1	specific require	ements.)		uired information to thi	s application? (See instructions for 3.)				
SECTIO	N 8. NA	TURE OF BUSIN	ESS (40 CFR 122.21(f)(	(8))						
Nature of Business	8.1	Manufacturing introduction of	these beverages into bo Mixing 3) Container rin	ottles and cans. S	pecific operations incl	s, water, fruit drinks, etc.) and the ude the following: 1) Water Treatment ckaging, sanitation, washdown, etc.) 5)				
SECTIO	N 9. CO	OLING WATER I	NTAKE STRUCTURES	(40 CFR 122.21)	f)(9))					
	9.1		ity use cooling water?		-11-11					
				4						
Cooling Water Intake Structures	9.2	Identify the sou 40 CFR 125, S		ote that facilities t e additional appli	cation requirements at	r intake structure as described at 40 CFR 122.21(r). Consult with your submitted and when.)				
SECTIO	N 10. V	ARIANCE REQUI	ESTS (40 CFR 122.21(f)	(10))						
ests	10.1				letermine what informa	40 CFR 122.21(m)? (Check all that attorn needs to be submitted and				
e Requ		Fundam Section	entally different factors ( 301(n))	CWA 🗆	302(b)(2))	d effluent limitations (CWA Section				
Variance Requests			oventional pollutants (CW 301(c) and (g))	VA 🔲	Thermal discharges	(CWA Section 316(a))				
		✓ Not app	icable							

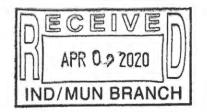
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SECTIO	N 11. CH	HECKLIS	ST AND CERTIFICATION STATEMENT (40 CFR 12	2.22(a	) and (d))	
	11.1	For ea	umn 1 below, mark the sections of Form 1 that you hach section, specify in Column 2 any attachments that of all applicants are required to provide attachments.	ave co t you a	mpleted and are su are enclosing to aler	bmitting with your application. t the permitting authority. Note
			Column 1		C	Column 2
		Ø	Section 1: Activities Requiring an NPDES Permit		w/ attachments	
		V	Section 2: Name, Mailing Address, and Location		w/ attachments	
		v	Section 3: SIC Codes		w/ attachments	
		V	Section 4: Operator Information		w/ attachments	
		V	Section 5: Indian Land		w/ attachments	
ŧ		V	Section 6: Existing Environmental Permits		w/ attachments	
Checklist and Certification Statement	1	V	Section 7: Map	v	w/ topographic map	☐ w/ additional attachments
tion S		v	Section 8: Nature of Business		w/ attachments	
tificat		V	Section 9: Cooling Water Intake Structures		w/ attachments	
d Cer		V	Section 10: Variance Requests		w/ attachments	
list ar		~	Section 11: Checklist and Certification Statement		w/ attachments	
Check	11.2	I certify in account inform directly belief,	ication Statement  by under penalty of law that this document and all attace  ordance with a system designed to assure that quality  lation submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person of  y responsible for gathering the information, the information, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there  ing the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowledge.	ied pe or pers nation are sig	rsonnel properly gat ons who manage th submitted is, to the unificant penalties fo	ther and evaluate the e system, or those persons best of my knowledge and
		Name	(print or type first and last name)	Offic	ial title	
		Mike N	ЛcDonald	Vice	President	
		Signat	ture Mand	Date	signed 3-28-20	)

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Form 2C NPDES		EPA		ation for NI	ronment PDES Pe	al Protection Age rmit to Discharge	Wastewate		ERATIO	ONS			
SECTION	1. OU		TION (40 CFR 122.21(g)(1))										
	1.1		ormation on each of the facility's of										
ation		Outfall Number	Receiving Water Name		Latitud	le		Longitu	ıde				
Outfall Location		001	UT to Shades Creek	33°	27'	21" N	86°	50'	06"	W			
Out				•	,	,,	0	<u>,</u>	"				
CITO Drawing	2.1 N 3. AVI	balance? (S Yes ERAGE FLOW	ttached a line drawing to this app See instructions for drawing required in No  No  S AND TREATMENT (40 CFR 1)  utfall identified under Item 1.1 processors	rements. Se	ee Exhibit	2C-1 at end of ins	tructions for	exampl	e.)	s if			
	5.1	For each outfall identified under Item 1.1, provide average flow and treatment information. Add additional sheets if necessary.  **Outfall Number** 001											
						= '							
			Operation Average Flow							w			
7			Reverse Osmosis Unit	0.18 mg						18 mgd			
age Flows and Treatment				mg						mgd			
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ows				Treatment Units									
Average FI		(include	Description size, flow rate through each trea retention time, etc.)			Code from Table 2C-1	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	Dispos d Waste by Dis		r Than			
			0.18 MGD			1-S		N	/A				



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SEC 110	4.1		LOWS (40 CFR 122. orm runoff, leaks, or	spills, are any dischar		tions 1 and 3 inte		sonal?			
	4.2	Provide infor	mation on intermitten	t or seasonal flows fo	r each applicable out	fall. Attach addition	Attach additional pages, if necessary.				
		Outfall	Operation		uency	Flow					
		Number	(list)	Average Days/Week	Average Months/Year	Long-Term Average	Maximum Daily	Duration			
				days/week	months/year	mgd	mgd	days			
lows				days/week	months/year	mgd	mgd	days			
tent F				days/week	months/year	mgd	mgd	days			
Intermittent Flows				days/week	months/year	mgd	mgd	days			
드				days/week	months/year	mgd	mgd	days			
				days/week	months/year	mgd	mgd	days			
				days/week	months/year	mgd	mgd	days			
				days/week	months/year	mgd	mgd	days			
				days/week	months/year	mgd	mgd	days			
SECTIO	N 5. PR	DUCTION (40	CFR 122.21(g)(5))								
	5.1	Do any efflue	ent limitation guidelin	es (ELGs) promulgate		tion 304 of the CN		ır facility?			
	5.2										
ELGs	5.2		Category		ELG Subcategory		Regulatory Citation				
Applicable ELGs											
			1-4								
suo	5.3	☐ Yes		xpressed in terms of p	□ No → S	SKIP to Section 6					
iltati	5.4		ctual measure of dail	y production expresse	ed in terms and units	of applicable ELC					
sed Lim		Outfall Number	Opera	ation, Product, or Ma	aterial	Quantity p		Unit of leasure			
Production-Based Limitations				-							
P.											

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CTION	N 6. IMP	ROVEMENTS	(40 CFR 122.21(g)(6))										
	6.1	Are you pres upgrading, o affect the dis	Are you presently required by any federal, state, or local authority to meet an implementation schedule for constructing upgrading, or operating wastewater treatment equipment or practices or any other environmental programs that could affect the discharges described in this application?  ✓ No → SKIP to Item 6.3.										
	6.2		franch applicable project in the	table below									
ıts	6.2	Briefly Identi	fy each applicable project in the	Affected			Final Comp	liance Dates					
eme		Brief Ident	ification and Description of	Outfalls	120000000000000000000000000000000000000		Timal Comp	lance bates					
Improv			Project	(list outfall number)	Di	scharge	Required	Projected					
Upgrades and Improvements													
	6.3	that may affe	tached sheets describing any ad ect your discharges) that you no	w have underw		l? (optional i	tem)	ntal projects					
	☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ Not applicable												
	7.1	your outfalls	lesting a waiver from your NPDE?	ES permitting a				nts for any of					
		Yes  ✓ No → SKIP to Item 7.3.  If yes, indicate the applicable outfalls below. Attach waiver request and other required information to the a											
	7.2					ther required							
			all Number		mber		Outfall Number						
Effluent and Intake Characteristics	7.3	requested a	mpleted monitoring for all Table nd attached the results to this ap		ige?		hich a waiver has neen requested from						
aract		☑ Yes			<b>D</b> permi	tting authorit	y for all pollutants at						
ຮັ			s, Cyanide, Total Phenols, and										
1 Intake	7.4	listed in Exh	e facility's processes that contrib ibit 2C-3? (See end of instruction					categories					
tand		☐ Yes				SKIP to Iter							
luen	7.5		ecked "Testing Required" for all	toxic metals, c		otal phenols	in Section 1 of Table	e B?					
盂		☐ Yes			□ No								
	7.6	List the appl in Exhibit 20	icable primary industry categorie -3.	es and check th	e boxes indic								
			Primary Industry Category				GC/MS Fraction(s) applicable boxes.)						
					□ Volatile	□ Acid	☐ Base/Neutral	☐ Pesticid					
					☐ Volatile	☐ Acid	☐ Base/Neutral	☐ Pesticid					
					☐ Volatile	☐ Acid	☐ Base/Neutral	☐ Pesticid					

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7.7		ecked "Testing Required" for all requions checked in Item 7.6?	ired pollutants i	No	of Table B for each of the						
7.8	where testing	ecked "Believed Present" or "Believe g is not required?	d Absent" for al		tions 1 through 5 of Table B						
	☑ Yes		ш	No							
7.9	required or (	ovided (1) quantitative data for those 2) quantitative data or other required "Believed Present" in your discharge	information for	e B, pollutants for which those Section 1, Table I	i you have indicated testing i B, pollutants that you have						
7.10	_	plicant qualify for a small business ex	emption under		he instructions?						
	Does the applicant qualify for a small business exemption under the criteria specified in the instructions?  Yes → Note that you qualify at the top of Table B, then SKIP to Item 7.12.										
7.11 Table 7.12 Table 7.13	determined t	ovided (1) quantitative data for those esting is required or (2) quantitative or u have indicated are "Believed Prese	data or an expla	nation for those Section	ts for which you have as 2 through 5, Table B,						
Table		ventional and Non-Conventional F	Pollutants								
7.12		licated whether pollutants are "Believ		"Believed Absent" for al	pollutants listed on Table C						
9	✓ Yes			No							
7.13	indirectly in a	Have you completed Table C by providing (1) quantitative data for those pollutants that are limited either directly or indirectly in an ELG and/or (2) quantitative data or an explanation for those pollutants for which you have indicated "Believed Present"?									
nen	✓ Yes			No							
Table	e D. Certain Hazardous Substances and Asbestos  Have you indicated whether pollutants are "Believed Present" or "Believed Absent" for all pollutants listed in Table D for										
7.14	Have you incall all outfalls?	ficated whether pollutants are "Believ	red Present" or	"Believed Absent" for al	I pollutants listed in Table D						
	✓ Yes			No							
7.15		mpleted Table D by (1) describing the oviding quantitative data, if available		pplicable pollutants are	expected to be discharged						
	✓ Yes			No							
		achlorodibenzo-p-Dioxin (2,3,7,8-T									
7.16		ility use or manufacture one or more e reason to believe that TCDD is or n			n the instructions, or do you						
	☐ Yes →	Complete Table E.	V	No → SKIP to Section	on 8.						
7.17	Have you co	mpleted Table E by reporting qualitation	tive data for TC	DD? No							
CTION 8 US		ACTURED TOXICS (40 CFR 122.21	(a)(9))								
8.1	Is any polluta	ant listed in Table B a substance or a ate or final product or byproduct?		a substance used or ma	nufactured at your facility as						
	☐ Yes		V	No → SKIP to Sect	ion 9.						
8.2	List the pollu	tants below.		X XX X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X	4						
Loxics 8.2	100000			7.							
2	1.	4.									
S.2	2.	5.		8.							
•	3.	6.		9.							

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SECTIO	N 12. CH	ECKL	IST AND CERTIFICATION STATES	MENT (	40 CFR 122.22(a) and (d))					
	12.1	In C	olumn 1 below, mark the sections of each section, specify in Column 2 an not all applicants are required to com	Form 2 y attac	2C that you have completed ar chments that you are enclosing	to alert the p				
		W. 124	Column 1			olumn 2				
		V	Section 1: Outfall Location		w/ attachments					
	1	V	Section 2: Line Drawing		w/ line drawing		w/ additional attachments			
		V	Section 3: Average Flows and Treatment		w/ attachments		w/ list of each user of * privately owned treatment works			
		V	Section 4: Intermittent Flows		w/ attachments					
		Section 5: Production			w/ attachments					
		Section 6: Improvements			w/ attachments		w/ optional additional sheets describing any additional pollution control plans			
ıt					w/ request for a waiver and supporting information		w/ explanation for identical outfalls			
temei					w/ small business exemption request		w/ other attachments			
Checklist and Certification Statement		Ø	Section 7: Effluent and Intake Characteristics	V	w/ Table A	V	w/ Table B			
icatio				V	w/ Table C	V	w/ Table D			
Certif				v	w/ Table E		w/ analytical results as an attachment			
st and		V	Section 8: Used or Manufactured Toxics	□ w/ attachments						
heckli		v	Section 9: Biological Toxicity Tests		w/ attachments					
၁		V	Section 10: Contract Analyses		w/ attachments					
		V	Section 11: Additional Information		w/ attachments					
		v	Section 12: Checklist and Certification Statement		w/ attachments					
	12.2	Cert	tification Statement							
		I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.								
			ne (print or type first and last name)			Official title Vice Preside	nt			
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						Eff	Intake (Optional)			
	Pollutant	Waiver Requested (if applicable)	Units (specify)		Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long-Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
V	Check here if you have applied	to your NPDE	S permitting author	rity for a wai	ver for all of the p	ollutants listed on	this table for the not	ed outfall.		
1.	Biochemical oxygen demand		Concentration	mg/l	2			1		
1.	(BOD <sub>5</sub> )		Mass	pounds	0.97			1		
2.	Chemical oxygen demand		Concentration	mg/l	44			6		
۷.	(COD)		Mass	pounds	21.3			6		
2	Total consists and as (TOC)		Concentration	mg/l	3.05			6		
3.	Total organic carbon (TOC)		Mass	pounds	1.48			6		
,	T-1-1 (TOC)		Concentration	mg/l	2			6		
4.	Total suspended solids (TSS)		Mass	pounds	0.97			6		
_	Ammonio (co NI)		Concentration	mg/l	0.61			1		
5.	Ammonia (as N)		Mass	pounds	0.3			1		
6.	Flow		Rate	gallons	58000			6		
7	Temperature (winter)		°C	°C	80					
7.	Temperature (summer)		°C	°C	50					
0	pH (minimum)		Standard units	s.u.	6.8			6		
8.			Standard units	s.u.	8			6		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sampling shall be conducted according to sufficiently sensitive test procedures (i.e., methods) approved under 40 CFR 136 for the analysis of pollutants or pollutant parameters or required under 40 CFR chapter I, subchapter N or O. See instructions and 40 CFR 122.21(e)(3).

TABL	E B. TOXIC METALS, CYANIDE	, TOTAL PHE			OXIC POLLUTANTS (4	0 CFR 122.21(g)(7)	(v)) <sup>1</sup>				
				or Absence ok one)			Effi	uent			take tional)
	Pollutant/Parameter (and CAS Number, if available)	Testing Required	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Units (specify)	Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long- Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
	Check here if you qualify as a s 2 through 5 of this table. Note,	mall business however, that	per the instruyou must still	uctions to For I indicate in th	rm 2C and, therefore, do ne appropriate column of	not need to submit this table if you beli	quantitative da leve any of the	ta for any of the pollutants listed	organic toxic are present i	pollutants i n your disch	n Sections narge.
Section	on 1. Toxic Metals, Cyanide, an	d Total Pheno	ols	. "							
1.1	Antimony, total (7440-36-0)			V	Concentration Mass						
1.2	Arsenic, total (7440-38-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
1.3	Beryllium, total (7440-41-7)			V	Concentration Mass						
1.4	Cadmium, total (7440-43-9)			V	Concentration Mass						
1.5	Chromium, total (7440-47-3)			v	Concentration Mass						
1.6	Copper, total (7440-50-8)			<b>V</b>	Concentration Mass						
1.7	Lead, total (7439-92-1)			V	Concentration Mass						
1.8	Mercury, total (7439-97-6)			V	Concentration Mass						
1.9	Nickel, total (7440-02-0)			V	Concentration Mass						
1.10	Selenium, total (7782-49-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
1.11	Silver, total (7440-22-4)			V	Concentration Mass						

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	Pollutant/Parameter (and CAS Number, if available)	Testing Required	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Units (specify)	Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long- Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
1.12	Thallium, total (7440-28-0)			v	Concentration  Mass						
1.13	Zinc, total (7440-66-6)			v	Concentration Mass						
1.14	Cyanide, total (57-12-5)			v	Concentration Mass						
1.15	Phenols, total			Ø.	Concentration Mass						
Secti	on 2. Organic Toxic Pollutants	(GC/MS Fract	ion-Volati	e Compoun	ds)						
2.1	Acrolein (107-02-8)			Ū	Concentration Mass						
2.2	Acrylonitrile (107-13-1)			Ø	Concentration Mass						
2.3	Benzene (71-43-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
2.4	Bromoform (75-25-2)			v	Concentration  Mass						
2.5	Carbon tetrachloride (56-23-5)			v	Concentration  Mass						
2.6	Chlorobenzene (108-90-7)			Ø	Concentration  Mass						
2.7	Chlorodibromomethane (124-48-1)			Ø	Concentration  Mass						
2.8	Chloroethane (75-00-3)			Ø	Concentration  Mass						

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	Pollutant/Parameter (and CAS Number, if available)	Testing Required	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Units (specify)	Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long- Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
2.9	2-chloroethylvinyl ether (110-75-8)			V	Concentration  Mass			.,,,,			
2.10	Chloroform (67-66-3)			v	Concentration Mass						
2.11	Dichlorobromomethane (75-27-4)			v	Concentration Mass						
2.12	1,1-dichloroethane (75-34-3)			v	Concentration Mass						
2.13	1,2-dichloroethane (107-06-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
2.14	1,1-dichloroethylene (75-35-4)			V	Concentration Mass						
2.15	1,2-dichloropropane (78-87-5)			V	Concentration Mass						
2.16	1,3-dichloropropylene (542-75-6)			v	Concentration Mass						
2.17	Ethylbenzene (100-41-4)			v	Concentration Mass						
2.18	Methyl bromide (74-83-9)			v	Concentration Mass						
2.19	Methyl chloride (74-87-3)			v	Concentration Mass						
2.20	Methylene chloride (75-09-2)			v	Concentration Mass						
2.21	1,1,2,2- tetrachloroethane (79-34-5)			V	Concentration Mass						

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	Pollutant/Parameter (and CAS Number, if available)	Testing Required	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Units (specify)	Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long- Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
2.22	Tetrachloroethylene			V	Concentration						
2.22	(127-18-4)				Mass						
2.23	Toluene			V	Concentration						1
2.20	(108-88-3)				Mass						
2.24	1,2-trans-dichloroethylene			V	Concentration						
2.2	(156-60-5)				Mass						
2.25	1,1,1-trichloroethane			V	Concentration						
2.20	(71-55-6)				Mass						
2.26	1,1,2-trichloroethane			V	Concentration						
	(79-00-5)	1 -			Mass						
2.27	Trichloroethylene			V	Concentration						
	(79-01-6)				Mass						
2.28	Vinyl chloride			V	Concentration						
	(75-01-4)				Mass						
Section	on 3. Organic Toxic Pollutants	(GC/MS Fract	ion—Acid C	ompounds)	0	1				1	T
3.1	2-chlorophenol (95-57-8)			V	Concentration	-				-	-
					Mass Concentration	-				1	
3.2	2,4-dichlorophenol (120-83-2)			V	Mass					-	-
					Concentration					-	
3.3	2,4-dimethylphenol (105-67-9)			V	Mass	1					-
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,				Concentration					-	1
3.4	4,6-dinitro-o-cresol (534-52-1)				Mass						
					Concentration						
3.5	2,4-dinitrophenol (51-28-5)			V	Mass					-	1

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	Pollutant/Parameter (and CAS Number, if available)	Testing Required	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Units (specify)	Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long- Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
3.6	2-nitrophenol (88-75-5)			V	Concentration Mass						
3.7	4-nitrophenol (100-02-7)			V	Concentration Mass						
3.8	p-chloro-m-cresol (59-50-7)			V	Concentration Mass						
3.9	Pentachlorophenol (87-86-5)			v	Concentration Mass						
3.10	Phenol (108-95-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
3.11	2,4,6-trichlorophenol (88-05-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
Secti	on 4. Organic Toxic Pollutants	(GC/MS Fract	ion—Base /	Neutral Com	pounds)						
4.1	Acenaphthene (83-32-9)			v	Concentration Mass						
4.2	Acenaphthylene (208-96-8)			v	Concentration Mass						
4.3	Anthracene (120-12-7)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.4	Benzidine (92-87-5)			v	Concentration Mass						
4.5	Benzo (a) anthracene (56-55-3)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.6	Benzo (a) pyrene (50-32-8)			v	Concentration Mass						

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	Pollutant/Parameter (and CAS Number, if available)	Testing Required	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Units (specify)	Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long- Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
4.7	3,4-benzofluoranthene (205-99-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.8	Benzo (ghi) perylene (191-24-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.9	Benzo (k) fluoranthene (207-08-9)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.10	Bis (2-chloroethoxy) methane (111-91-1)			v	Concentration Mass						
4.11	Bis (2-chloroethyl) ether (111-44-4)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.12	Bis (2-chloroisopropyl) ether (102-80-1)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.13	Bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (117-81-7)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.14	4-bromophenyl phenyl ether (101-55-3)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.15	Butyl benzyl phthalate (85-68-7)			V	Concentration Mass					1	
4.16	2-chloronaphthalene (91-58-7)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.17	4-chlorophenyl phenyl ether (7005-72-3)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.18	Chrysene (218-01-9)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.19	Dibenzo (a,h) anthracene (53-70-3)			V	Concentration Mass						

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	Pollutant/Parameter (and CAS Number, if available)	Testing Required	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Units (specify)	Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long- Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
4.20	1,2-dichlorobenzene (95-50-1)			V	Concentration  Mass						
4.21	1,3-dichlorobenzene (541-73-1)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.22	1,4-dichlorobenzene (106-46-7)			v	Concentration Mass						
4.23	3,3-dichlorobenzidine (91-94-1)			v	Concentration Mass						
4.24	Diethyl phthalate (84-66-2)			v	Concentration Mass						
4.25	Dimethyl phthalate (131-11-3)			v	Concentration Mass						
4.26	Di-n-butyl phthalate (84-74-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.27	2,4-dinitrotoluene (121-14-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.28	2,6-dinitrotoluene (606-20-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.29	Di-n-octyl phthalate (117-84-0)			v	Concentration Mass						
4.30	1,2-Diphenylhydrazine (as azobenzene) (122-66-7)			v	Concentration Mass						
4.31	Fluoranthene (206-44-0)			V	Concentration Mass						
4.32	Fluorene (86-73-7)			v	Concentration Mass						

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	Pollutant/Parameter (and CAS Number, if available)	Testing Required	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Units (specify)	Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long- Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
5.12	β-endosulfan (115-29-7)			V	Concentration Mass						
5.13	Endosulfan sulfate (1031-07-8)			V	Concentration Mass						
5.14	Endrin (72-20-8)			v	Concentration Mass						
5.15	Endrin aldehyde (7421-93-4)			v	Concentration Mass						
5.16	Heptachlor (76-44-8)			v	Concentration Mass						
5.17	Heptachlor epoxide (1024-57-3)			V	Concentration Mass						
5.18	PCB-1242 (53469-21-9)			V	Concentration Mass						
5.19	PCB-1254 (11097-69-1)			V	Concentration Mass						
5.20	PCB-1221 (11104-28-2)			V	Concentration Mass						
5.21	PCB-1232 (11141-16-5)			V	Concentration Mass						
5.22	PCB-1248 (12672-29-6)			V	Concentration Mass						
5.23	PCB-1260 (11096-82-5)			v	Concentration Mass						
5.24	PCB-1016 (12674-11-2)			v	Concentration Mass						

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sampling shall be conducted according to sufficiently sensitive test procedures (i.e., methods) approved under 40 CFR 136 for the analysis of pollutants or pollutant parameters or required under 40 CFR chapter I, subchapter N or O. See instructions and 40 CFR 122.21(e)(3).

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	Pollutant	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Units (specify		Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long-Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
	Check here if you be each pollutant.	elieve all polluta	ants on Table	C to be <i>present</i> in	your discha	rge from the noted o	utfall. You need	not complete the "F	resence or Abse	ence" column of 1	Table C for
	Check here if you be each pollutant.	elieve all pollut	ants on Table	C to be <b>absent</b> in	your dischar	ge from the noted or	utfall. You need i	not complete the "Pr	resence or Abse	nce" column of T	able C for
4	Bromide		v	Concentration							
1.	(24959-67-9)	П		Mass							
2.	Chlorine, total		V	Concentration							
۷.	residual			Mass							
3.	Color		V	Concentration							
J.	Color			Mass							
4.	Fecal coliform		V	Concentration							
	1 dodi dollioitti			Mass							
5.	Fluoride		V	Concentration							
-	(16984-48-8)			Mass							
6	Nitrate-nitrite			Concentration							
				Mass							
7.	Nitrogen, total		V	Concentration							
	organic (as N)			Mass							
8.	Oil and grease		V	Concentration							
				Mass							
9.	Phosphorus (as P), total (7723-14-0)	V		Concentration	mg/l	7.67			6		
_				Mass	pounds	3.71			6		
10.	Sulfate (as SO <sub>4</sub> ) (14808-79-8)		V	Concentration							
	(14000-15-0)			Mass							
11.	Sulfide (as S)		✓	Concentration							
				Mass							

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	Pollutant	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Units (specify)		Maximum Daily Discharge (required)	Maximum Monthly Discharge (if available)	Long-Term Average Daily Discharge (if available)	Number of Analyses	Long-Term Average Value	Number of Analyses
12.	Sulfite (as SO <sub>3</sub> )		v	Concentration							1
12.	(14265-45-3)			Mass							
13.	Surfactants		V	Concentration							
10.	Curiaciants			Mass							
14.	Aluminum, total		V	Concentration			1				
17.	(7429-90-5)			Mass							
15.	Barium, total		V	Concentration							
10.	(7440-39-3)			Mass							
16.	Boron, total		V	Concentration							
10.	(7440-42-8)			Mass							
17.	Cobalt, total			Concentration							
11.	(7440-48-4)			Mass							
18.	Iron, total	V		Concentration	mg/l	0.1			6		
10.	(7439-89-6)			Mass	ppd	0.05			6		
19.	Magnesium, total			Concentration							
13.	(7439-95-4)			Mass							
20	Molybdenum,			Concentration							
20.	total (7439-98-7)			Mass							
٥.	Manganese, total			Concentration							
21.	(7439-96-5)		V	Mass							
00	Tin, total			Concentration							
22.	(7440-31-5)		V	Mass							
00	Titanium, total			Concentration							
23.	(7440-32-6)			Mass	7						

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24.	Radioactivity									
	Alpha total		V	Concentration						
	Alpha, total		[2]	Mass						
	Data total		v	Concentration						
	Beta, total	Ш		Mass		1				
	Dadison total		V	Concentration						
	Radium, total			Mass						
	Dadium 200 tatal			Concentration						
	Radium 226, total		Mass	Mass						

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		Presence o			Anallable Overtheller Date
	Pollutant	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Reason Pollutant Believed Present in Discharge	Available Quantitative Data (specify units)
1.	Asbestos		V		
2.	Acetaldehyde		v		
3.	Allyl alcohol		v	-	
4.	Allyl chloride		V		
5.	Amyl acetate		v		
6.	Aniline		v		
7.	Benzonitrile		v		
8.	Benzyl chloride		v		
9.	Butyl acetate		v		
10.	Butylamine		v		
11.	Captan	· 🗆	v		
12.	Carbaryl		V		
13.	Carbofuran		v		
14.	Carbon disulfide		V		
15.	Chlorpyrifos		V		
16.	Coumaphos		v		
17.	Cresol		V		
18.	Crotonaldehyde		v		
19.	Cyclohexane		V		

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	Pollutant	Presence of (check			Available Quantitative Data	
0.5	Foliutarit	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Reason Pollutant Believed Present in Discharge	(specify units)	
20.	2,4-D (2,4-dichlorophenoxyacetic acid)					
21.	Diazinon		V			
22.	Dicamba		v			
23.	Dichlobenil		v			
24.	Dichlone		v			
25.	2,2-dichloropropionic acid		v			
26.	Dichlorvos		v			
27.	Diethyl amine		v			
28.	Dimethyl amine		v			
29.	Dintrobenzene		v			
30.	Diquat		V			
31.	Disulfoton		V			
32.	Diuron		v			
33.	Epichlorohydrin		v			
34.	Ethion		v			
35.	Ethylene diamine		v			
36.	Ethylene dibromide		v			
37.	Formaldehyde		v			
38.	Furfural		v			

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		Presence or Absence (check one)			Available Quantitative Data	
-5	Pollutant	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Reason Pollutant Believed Present in Discharge	(specify units)	
39.	Guthion		V			
40.	Isoprene		V			
41.	Isopropanolamine		Ø			
42.	Kelthane		V			
43.	Kepone		V			
44.	Malathion		V		4	
45.	Mercaptodimethur		V			
46.	Methoxychlor		V			
47.	Methyl mercaptan		V			
48.	Methyl methacrylate		V			
49.	Methyl parathion		V			
50.	Mevinphos		V			
51.	Mexacarbate		V			
52.	Monoethyl amine		V			
53.	Monomethyl amine		v			
54.	Naled		v			
55.	Naphthenic acid		v			
56.	Nitrotoluene		v			
57.	Parathion		V			

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	Pollotoni	Presence or Absence (check one)			Available Quantitative Data
	Pollutant	Believed Present	Believed Absent	Reason Pollutant Believed Present in Discharge	(specify units)
58.	Phenolsulfonate				
59.	Phosgene		V		
60.	Propargite				
61.	Propylene oxide		e e		
62.	Pyrethrins		v		
63.	Quinoline				
64.	Resorcinol		Ø		1
65.	Strontium				
66.	Strychnine				
67.	Styrene		v		
68.	2,4,5-T (2,4,5-trichlorophenoxyacetic acid)		V		
69.	TDE (tetrachlorodiphenyl ethane)				
70.	2,4,5-TP [2-(2,4,5-trichlorophenoxy) propanoic acid]		V		
71.	Trichlorofon		V		
72.	Triethanolamine		v		
73.	Triethylamine		v		
74.	Trimethylamine		V		
75.	Uranium		v		
76.	Vanadium		V		

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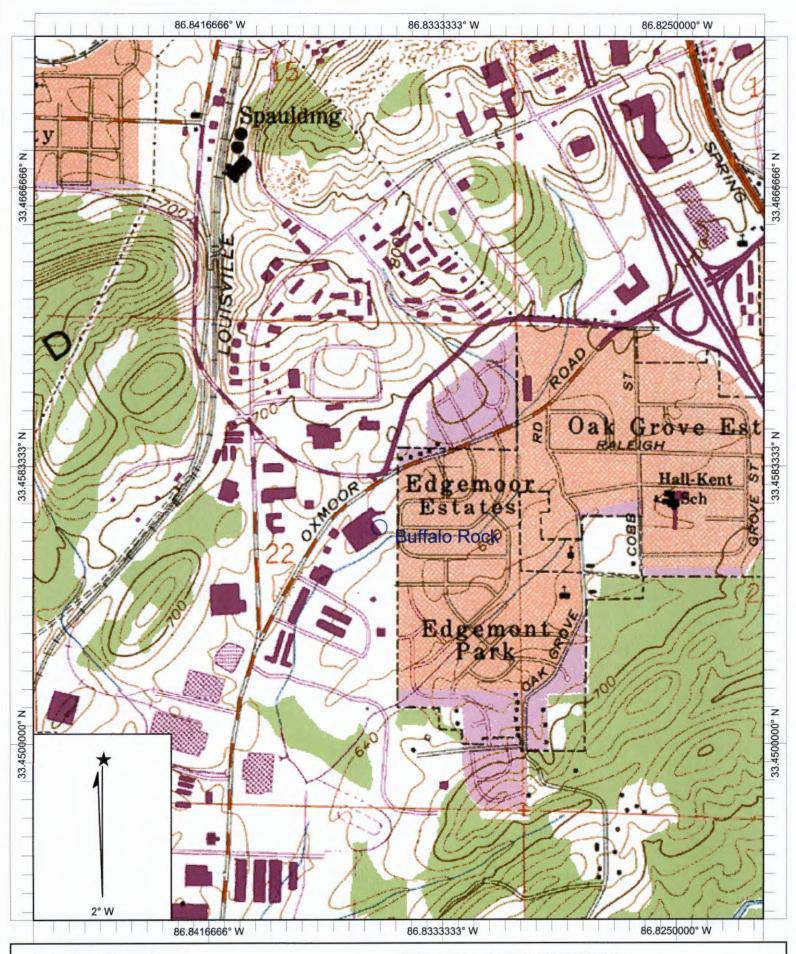
	Pollutant	Presence or Absence (check one)		B	Available Quantitative Data
		Believed Present	Believed Absent	Reason Pollutant Believed Present in Discharge	(specify units)
77.	Vinyl acetate				
78.	Xylene		V		
79.	Xylenol		V		
80.	Zirconium				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sampling shall be conducted according to sufficiently sensitive test procedures (i.e., methods) approved under 40 CFR 136 for the analysis of pollutants or pollutant parameters or required under 40 CFR chapter I, subchapter N or O. See instructions and 40 CFR 122.21(e)(3).

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TABLE E. 2,3,7,8 TETRACHLOR	RODIBENZO P DIOX	IN (2,3,7,8 T	CDD) (40 CF	R 122.21(g)(7)(viii))		
Pollutant	TCDD Congeners	ners Absence (check one)		Results of Screening Procedure		
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2,3,7,8-TCDD			Ø			
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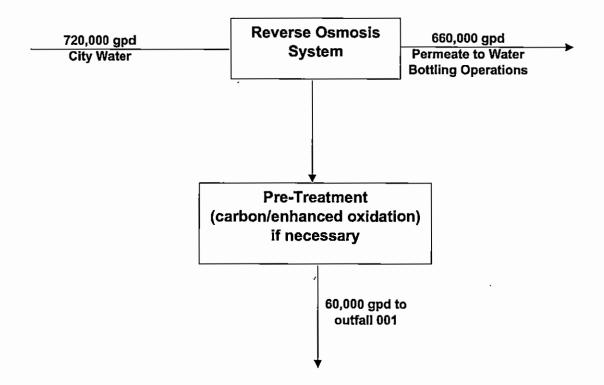
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Date: 5/21/2007

Scale: 1 inch equals 1000 feet

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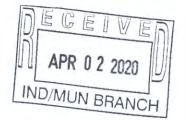
Caption: Site Location Map, Buffalo Rock, Birmingham, Alabama



**Water Balance** 

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