Asbestos Inspection for Chilkoot Lumber Company





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Introduction: This asbestos investigation was conducted by Chilkat Environmental for Specialized Metal Recycling on Chilkoot Lumber Company property in Haines, AK. The current intended use of the property includes demolition of the mill for future industrial uses. The lumber mill was originally built in 1968 by local entrepreneur John Schnabel and reached a capacity of 300,000 board feet per day. The site includes a 600 foot dock, extensive mill infrastructure and a 5 megawatt thermal power plant that operated on wood waste.

Purpose: The purpose of this asbestos inspection is to interview the owner and physically inspect the facilities at Chilkoot Lumber Company on Lutak Inlet in Haines, Alaska to identify the presence of Asbestos Containing Materials (ACM). During the summer of 2008 the mill is being dismantled for recycling. While most of the mill site features no suspected ACM, the powerhouse building that housed the power generation system featured many potential sources of ACM. This investigation was performed to determine requirements for demolishing the powerhouse building.

Investigators: This document was prepared by Chilkat Environmental of Haines, Alaska. Investigators include Environmental Engineer, Elijah Donat MS. PMP and Environmental Scientist, William Prisciandaro BS. Jacklynn Ruggirello, BS conducted the asbestos survey as our AHERA Certified Building Inspector.

Conclusions:

No ACM were detected in analyses of 10 suspected types of building material in the powerhouse. ACM was discovered on labeled and unlabeled new products in the building and was contained in a central area and labeled clearly for proper disposal by the owner alongside other hazardous materials after the demolition is complete. Refer to attached Photolog and testing results for more information.

Photolog



Photo 1: S-1 Westinghouse Generator Insulation; Result Non-ACM



Photo 2: S-2 Pipe Insulation from 2nd Floor; Result Non-ACM



Photo 3: S-3 Used Pipe Insulation Storage Area; Result Non-ACM



Photo 4: S-4, S-5, and S-6 (R to L) Charleston 211; Result ACM 60%



Photo 5: S-7 Granular Insulation in Basement; Result Non-ACM



Photo 6: S-8 Insulation under Furnace Area; Result Non-ACM



Photo 7: S-9 White Substance Located within Furnace; Result Non-ACM



Photo 8: S-10 Furnace Door Seal; Result Non-ACM



Photo 9: S-11 and S-12 Blue and White Insulation on Furnace Pipes; Result Non-ACM



Photo 10: S-13 Diablo Bricks; Result Non-ACM



Photo 11; Mechanical Packing Material Labeled Asbestos on Second Floor



Photo 12: Charleston Material Labeled Asbestos on Second Floor near Mechanical Packing



Photo 13: Asbestos Materials Double Bagged for Removal to Approved Facility



WESTERN ANALYTICAL LABORATORY, Inc. TEST REPORT

REPORT NO: DATE RECEIVED:	54855 June 23, 2008	CLIENT:	Chilkat Environmental P.O. Box 865 Haines, AK 99827
DATE REQUIRED:	June 24, 2008	REFERENCE:	223 Old Hart Road

SUBJECT:	Polarized Light Microscopy Analysis for Asbestos; 13 samples
METHODOLOGY:	"Method for the Determination of Asbestos in Bulk Building Materials" (EPA 600/R-93/116) *
ACCREDITED:	National Institute of Standards and Technology (NVLAP) # 200037

SAMPLE ID NUMBER	SAMPLE LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION	VISUAL DESCRIPTION	ASBESTIFORM MINERALS	OTHER FIBROUS MATERIALS	NON-FIBROUS MATERIALS
S-01	Westinghouse Generator	White fibrous	None Detected	Glass Wool 99%	Granular Minerals Opaques
	Insulation	Friable			
S-02	Pipes Level 2	White granular	None Detected	None Detected	Granular Minerals
	Insulation	Friable			
S-03	Round Block Insulation Level 2	White granular/ fibrous	None Detected	Fiberglass3%Synthetics2%	Granular Minerals
	Insulation block	Friable			
S-04	Charleston 211 1/32	Gray granular/ fibrous	Chrysotile 60%	Wollastonite 25%	Granular Minerals Organics
	Gasket seal	Non-friable			
S-05	Charleston 211 1/16	Gray granular/ fibrous	Chrysotile 60%	Wollastonite 25%	Granular Minerals Organics
	Gasket seal	Non-friable			

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SAMPLE ID NUMBER	SAMPLE LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION	VISUAL DESCRIPTION	ASBESTIFORM MINERALS	OTHER FIBROUS MATERIALS	NON-FIBROUS MATERIALS
S-06	Unlabeled Gasket Material Roll	Gray granular/ fibrous	Chrysotile 60%	None Detected	Granular Minerals Organics
	Gasket seal	Non-friable			
S-07	Basement Insulation near Door	Gray granular/ fibrous	None Detected	Wollastonite 5%	Granular Minerals Mortar
	Block insulation	Non-friable			
S-08	Basement Boiler Insulation	Beige fibrous	None Detected	Glass Wool 90%	Granular Minerals Organics
	Insulation	Friable			
S-09	Furnace Door	Gray granular/ fibrous	None Detected	Wollastonite 5%	Granular Minerals Mortar
	White hard material	Non-friable			
S-10	Furnace Door Seal	Beige fibrous	None Detected	Glass Wool 90%	Granular Minerals
	Door seal	Friable			
S-11	Second Floor Large Pipes	White granular/ fibrous	None Detected	Synthetics10%Fiberglass2%	Granular Minerals
	White block insulation	Friable			
S-12	Large Pipes Blue Blocks	Lt. blue granular/ fibrous	None Detected	Synthetics 10%	Granular Minerals
	Blue block insulation	Friable			
S-13	Diablo Brick	Gray granular	None Detected	None Detected	Granular Minerals Mortar
	Bricks	Non-friable			
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