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July 18, 2016

Mike Lanenga SET Environmental 450 Sumac Road Wheeling, Illinois 60090

RE: 25th/26th Street and Martin Luther King Drive – Radiation Monitoring During Bus Pad Installation; Former Carnotite Reduction Company Permit Hold Area

Dear Mr. Lanenga:

Stan A. Huber Consultants, Inc (SAHCI) was hired by your firm to provide radiation monitoring during the installation of bus pads at 25th/26th Street and Martin Luther King Drive in Chicago, Illinois. The potential contaminants in the area surrounding the Former Carnotite Reduction Company are uranium (U-234+U-235+U-238) and radium (Ra-226+Ra-228). The monitoring was performed on July 14, 2016.

Instrumentation

Surface gamma scans were performed by Glenn Huber using a Ludlum Model 2221 Scaled / Ratemeter (serial no. 134542) with attached Ludlum Model 44-10 2"x2" Nal detector (unshielded). The instrument was calibrated on August 13, 2015. The IEMA field action level which would trigger additional monitoring and sampling is twice the average background gamma count rate. The field action level is a conservative estimation of applicable regulatory limits based on the unknown ratios of uranium and radium in the area.

The background count rate for pavement at this location was found to average 4,264 counts per minute (cpm). The background count rate for soil and fill at this location was found to average 7,761 cpm. The field action level for soil contamination was calculated to be 15,522 cpm.

Soil Gamma Scans

Gamma surface scans were performed using the Ludlum Model 2221 Scaler / Ratemeter described above. Data was collected by monitoring the surface of the pavement prior to excavation. The areas were then resurveyed after the pavement and concrete road base was removed. The depth ranged from 10" to 14" below the road surface.

The maximum gamma count rate for each lift was recorded on the attached Radiation Survey Forms. The count rates in the excavation ranged from 3,800 cpm to 10,400 cpm. No count rates were found at any time that exceeded the field action level of 15,522 cpm. The excavation on the west side of 26th Street and Martin Luther King Dr.

had slightly elevated counts due to the fact that soil and fill material was exposed. The other excavations only had sand and/or crushed stone exposed.

Additional Monitoring

Since no count rates were identified above the field action level, no additional soil sampling, air monitoring, or personnel monitoring were performed.

You will need to forward a copy of this report to the following within two weeks of completion of the onsite monitoring:

City of Chicago Department of Fleet and Facility Management Attn: Abby Mazza 30 North LaSalle St. – Suite 300 Chicago, IL 60602

Thank you for your assistance with this project. If you have any questions or need additional information please call me at (815) 485-6161.

Sincerely, Stan A. Huber Consultants, Inc.

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Glenn Huber, CHP President

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Radiation Survey Form



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Location/ Project ID: SET Environmental 2500-2600 S. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive Bus Pads Date: <u>7/14/16</u> Technician: <u>Slenn Huse</u> Inst Model: 2. dlum 2221 Serial No.: /34542 Probe Type: 1"x1" Nal / 2"x2" Nal Shielded /(Not Shielded Background 2761 cpm (50.1) Action Level: 15, 522 cpm 27649264 $(p_{seterist})$ Write grid designations in circles. Record highest counts for grid in cpm. Record 30 second counts Action Level: 15,522 cpm 2×Bts at grid intersections (if required). Shade areas of elevated counts and record max cpm. N scale = 26 th Street > 10-Bus Sheller, MLKDr Ģ 80 3) 4

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