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Re: Progress Report (PR) for July 2020-January 2021

Former Schmuklers Cleaners

358 - 364 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York

Site No. C360088

The following is the July 2020-January 2021 Report of activities for the former Schmuklers Cleaners Site located at 358 - 364 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York. This progress report was prepared to describe the activities conducted during July 2020-January 2021.

I. Actions taken during the reporting period are as follows:

A sampling and reporting frequency reduction was approved by the Department for submission of bi-annual groundwater sampling Reports and bi-annual Progress Reports.

Operation, Monitoring and Maintenance (OMM) was performed on the SVE/SSD system on July 15th, 2020, October 28th, 2020, and January 19th, 2021. Separate OMM Reports have been issued under a separate cover to the WCDOH and DEC.

The next OMM Report will be issued on May 10th, 2021 documenting the April 2021 OMM activities.

Bi-yearly groundwater sampling was performed on January 19th, 2021 for which a Report will be issued under a separate cover to the Department. The next groundwater sampling event is scheduled for July 2021 with Reporting on August 10th, 2021.

An Alternatives Analysis (AA)/Remedial Action Plan (RAP) was submitted to the Department during May of 2017. This document was revised and re-submitted during August 2017. A Site Management Plan (SMP) was drafted to discuss management of the remaining contamination at the site during August 2017 which was revised and resubmitted during September 2018. Additionally, a second revision was completed following comments from the DEC and resubmitted on March 17, 2020, of which BEI is currently awaiting approval. A Final Engineering Report (FER) and site cap/cover (ec) was also completed and submitted during January 2019. A Supplemental Remedial Action Plan was completed and submitted for approval in August 2020 and is also pending approval. This RAP

involves the application of molasses as a carbon source to promote anaerobic degradation with monitoring of these parameters.

*Note: Progress Reports (PRs) and Sampling Reports (SRs) documenting groundwater conditions are being conducted bi-annually as approved by the New York State DEC.

This completes all actions during the Reporting period (July 2020-January 2021). The next Progress Report will be issued August 10, 2021.

Sincerely,

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