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**RE: Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) and Mold Assessment Services  
Prince George's County Public Schools (PGCPS) – Kenmoor Middle School  
2500 Kenmoor Drive, Landover, Maryland 20785  
Contract No.: IFB 022-19: Indoor Air Quality Services at Various Locations  
Tidewater Project No.: 5419-048**

Dear Mr. Baylor:

Tidewater, Inc. (Tidewater) is pleased to present this final report regarding the results of the Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) and Mold Assessment Services conducted by Tidewater at Kenmoor Middle School located at 2500 Kenmoor Drive, in Landover, Maryland. Tidewater's Project Manager and Certified Industrial Hygienist, Mr. Skanda Abeyesekere MS, CIH, CSP, CHMM conducted these services on January 27, 2021. Re-sampling of areas with elevated mold concentrations were conducted on February 26, 2021.

The scope of work for the IAQ assessment and mold survey included:

- Inspecting, taking direct read measurements and conducting air sampling at the following select areas of the school: Classroom 109, Classroom 107, Classroom 103, Conference Room 5, Library, Multipurpose Room, Classroom 219, Classroom 224 (Music Room), Classroom 205, Classroom 209 and Principal's Office. These areas were inspected for evidence of potential indoor air quality problems (including suspect microbial growth, water damage, chemical use/ storage, drain traps, sources of allergens/ contaminants, etc.) that may contribute to indoor air quality problems;
- Taking direct read air measurements for comfort parameters including temperature (T), relative humidity (RH), carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), and carbon monoxide (CO) for comparison with standards established by the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) Standard 62.1–2019, *Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality*, and The United States Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA) National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS);
- Taking direct read measurements for Particulate Matter less than 10 microns (PM<sub>10</sub>) for comparison with standards established by the US EPA NAAQS Final Action (December 7, 2020); and
- Air sampling for microbial spores in the above locations for total airborne fungal spore analysis.

## **Visual Observation**

The school building was occupied by a limited number of staff, and no students were present at the time of the survey because of the on-going COVID-19 pandemic. The majority of the classrooms and other common areas inspected were vacant. The results of Tidewater's visual inspection are presented below:

### **Classroom 109**

A wall-mounted fan coil unit was operating at the time of the inspection and was emitting warm air. A water-stained ceiling with visible suspect surface mold was observed above the fan coil unit. No notable odors were detected. Flaking paint was observed on several walls. The Classroom appeared to be clean and well maintained. Housekeeping appeared to be satisfactory.

### **Classroom 107 (Autism Room)**

Two (2) wall-mounted fan coil units were observed in the classroom. One (1) wall-mounted fan coil unit was operating at the time of the inspection and was emitting warm air. No mold growth nor notable odors were detected. The ceiling-mounted air supply grills had visible dust accumulations. The classroom appeared to be clean and well maintained.

### **Classroom 103**

Numerous water-stained ceiling tiles were observed in the classroom. No signs of suspect mold growth were observed in the classroom. Furthermore, no odors were detected. One (1) wall-mounted fan coil unit was operating and was emitting warm air at the time of the inspection. Several missing ceiling tiles were also observed. The ceiling-mounted air supply grills contained dust accumulations. The classroom appeared to be clean and well maintained.

### **Conference Room 5**

A ceiling-mounted air conditioning unit was observed. This unit was not operating at the time of the inspection. Two (2) missing ceiling tiles were observed. Several cleaning agents were stored in the room and a mild chemical odor was detected upon entry. The ceiling-mounted supply air and return air grills appeared to be clean.

### **Media Room**

The Media Room was equipped with window-mounted air conditioning units and wall-mounted fan coil units. No mold growth nor notable odors were detected. The return air and supply grills located on the walls of the Media Room appeared to have dust accumulations. Numerous containers and pots with live plants were observed throughout the media center. Housekeeping appeared to be satisfactory.

### **Multipurpose Room**

No signs of ongoing water-intrusion problems or suspect mold growth were observed in the multipurpose room. Furthermore, no notable odors were detected. The wall-mounted return air grills appeared to have dust accumulations. The ceiling mounted supply grills also had visible dust accumulations. Ceiling tiles with minor water stains were also observed in the multipurpose room.

**Classroom 219**

A wall-mounted fan coil unit was observed in the classroom. This unit was operating at the time of the inspection and was emitting warm air. No suspect mold growth nor notable odors were detected. The air supply grills located on the ceiling appeared to contain dust accumulations. The classroom appeared to be clean and well maintained.

**Classroom 224 (Music Room)**

No suspect mold growth nor notable odors were detected. One (1) wall-mounted fan coil unit was operating and was emitting warm air at the time of the inspection. The classroom appeared to be clean and well maintained.

**Classroom 205**

No suspect mold growth nor notable odors were detected. One (1) wall-mounted fan coil unit was operating and was emitting warm air at the time of the inspection. The air supply grills of this fan coil unit had debris accumulation. The classroom appeared to be clean and well maintained.

**Classroom 209**

No suspect mold growth nor notable odors were detected. One (1) wall-mounted fan coil unit was operating and was emitting warm air at the time of the inspection. The classroom appeared to be clean and well maintained.

**Principals' Office**

No suspect mold growth nor notable odors were detected. One (1) wall-mounted fan coil unit was observed in the office. This unit was not operating at the time of the inspection. A minor water stain was observed around the perimeter of the ceiling-mounted air supply grill. The office appeared to be clean and well maintained.

**Comfort Parameter Air Testing**

During the IAQ assessment, Tidewater obtained temperature (T), relative humidity (RH), carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), and carbon monoxide (CO) measurements within select locations using a TSI VelociCalc Indoor Air Quality instrument (Model Number 9565-X, Serial Number 9565X 1945 002, Calibration Date: November 8, 2019.) Measurements were taken after allowing the instrument to become acclimated to the ambient temperature and relative humidity for approximately five (5) minutes. Measurements were taken over a 5-minute time period at each designated location and the average concentration was recorded. Samples were obtained for comparison with standards established by the American Society for Heating Refrigeration and Air Conditioning (ASHRAE) Standard 62.1 – 2019, *Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality*. Tidewater also obtained an “outdoors background” [Exterior] measurement in front of the main entrance of the school building for comparison to the interior readings. The results of the IAQ comfort parameter monitoring are provided in Table 1, in **Attachment A**.

According to the American Society for Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) Standard 62.1 – 2019, *Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality*, the temperature range in summer months should be maintained between 73.0°F and 79.0°F for maximum occupant comfort. The ASHRAE standard for temperature for winter months is between 68.0°F and 74.5°F. The indoor temperature levels within the assessed areas on January 27, 2021 ranged between 67.2°F and 75.6°F. The background temperature outside the building was



57.0°F. The temperature levels recorded within most areas monitored were within the temperature standard of 68.0°F and 74.5°F recommended by ASHRAE for winter months. The temperature level in Room 109 was marginally below the lower temperature standard of 68.0°F recommended by ASHRAE for winter months. Most areas inspected were vacant at the time of the inspection. Indoor temperature levels fluctuate with the number of occupants present within the work area.

Per the same ASHRAE standard, a maximum relative humidity level of 65.0% or below is recommended to reduce the likelihood of condensation on cold surfaces. Relative humidity levels within the assessed areas on January 27, 2021 ranged between 22.9% and 39.6%. The background relative humidity level outside the building was 35.5%. The relative humidity levels in all areas assessed were below the ASHRAE recommended maximum relative humidity standard of 65.0%.

ASHRAE Standard 62.1 – 2019 recommends that indoor CO<sub>2</sub> levels not exceed 700 ppm above the outdoor background CO<sub>2</sub> level. The CO<sub>2</sub> levels in the assessed areas on January 27, 2021 ranged between 447 ppm and 791 ppm. The background CO<sub>2</sub> level outside the building was 488 ppm. The CO<sub>2</sub> levels within all interior locations assessed did not exceed 700 ppm above the outdoor background CO<sub>2</sub> level of 488 ppm.

The CO levels in all areas assessed on January 27, 2021 were below the maximum standard of 9.0 ppm recommended by the Indoor Air Quality Association (IAQA) for CO in occupied indoor environments.

### **Particulate Matter Less Than 10 microns (PM10)**

During the assessment, Tidewater obtained particulate matter less than 10 microns (PM10) dust particulate measurements within select locations using a TSI® DUST TRAK II™ Aerosol Monitor (Model 8534, Serial Number 8534170101.) Measurements were taken after allowing the device to become acclimated to the ambient temperature and relative humidity for five (5) minutes. Measurements were taken over a 5-minute time period at each sampling location and the average concentration was recorded for comparison with standards established by the US EPA NAAQS Final Action (December 7, 2020.)

Tidewater also obtained a background exterior sample near front of the main entrance of the school building for comparison to the interior readings.

The results of the particulate matter sampling are provided in Table 2, in **Attachment A**.

Based on the EPA NAAQS for Particulate Matter, Final Action (December 7, 2020), the 24-hour primary and secondary exposure standard for particulate matter less than 10 microns (PM10) is 150.0 micrograms per cubic meter of air ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ ) or 0.150 milligrams per cubic meter of air ( $\text{mg}/\text{m}^3$ .) The results of the PM10 analysis indicate that the average PM10 dust concentrations in all assessed areas ranged between 0.000  $\text{mg}/\text{m}^3$  and 0.042  $\text{mg}/\text{m}^3$ . The average PM10 dust concentration in the background sample obtained outside the building was 0.004  $\text{mg}/\text{m}^3$ . The PM10 concentrations in all areas assessed were below the EPA 24-hour primary and secondary NAAQS of 0.150  $\text{mg}/\text{m}^3$ .

### **Spore Trap Bioaerosol Sampling**

Tidewater collected spore trap air samples from the same locations where the comfort parameters were recorded. Tidewater obtained the spore trap samples using Allergenco-D cassettes affixed to a Buck BioAire™ Bioaerosol Sampling Pump (Pump Model Number B520 and Serial Number B153043) calibrated to a flow rate of 15.0 Liters per minute. Each sample was run for a period of five (5) minutes to collect a total sample volume of 75.0 liters of air. Tidewater also obtained an outdoor background sample in front of the main entrance of the school building for comparison to the interior readings.

Once collected, the samples were transported to EMSL Analytical Laboratory (EMSL) located in Beltsville, Maryland for analysis via a standard turn-around time. The samples were transported following rigorous chain-of-custody guidelines to ensure proper handling and delivery of the samples. EMSL is accredited in the American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA) Environmental Microbiology Laboratory Accreditation Program (EMLAP) and is a successful participant in AIHA's Environmental Microbiology Proficiency Analytical Testing (EMPAT) program (Laboratory Number 102891.) The samples were analyzed via light microscopy at the standardized magnification of 600X. This technique does not allow for the differentiation between *Aspergillus* and *Penicillium* spores because they are morphologically identical. Additionally, the technique does not allow for cultivation, or the identification of spores to the species level, except in a few cases.

There are no universally accepted federal or State of Maryland standards for acceptable airborne concentrations of bioaerosols in an indoor occupational environment. In general, indoor airborne concentrations should be less than that found in the outdoor air, with similar species composition. Indoor spore counts significantly greater than those identified in the outdoors environment, or the presence of large numbers of different types of spores identified in indoor versus the outdoor environments, may indicate contamination and potential indoor air quality problems.

The total mold spore counts in all assessed areas of the school ranged between 320 spores/m<sup>3</sup> and 31,190 spores/m<sup>3</sup>. The total mold spore counts in the background sample obtained outdoors was 860 spores/m<sup>3</sup>. The total mold spore concentrations in the samples obtained from Classroom 107 (sample # KMS-2), Classroom 103 (sample # KMS-3), Classroom 205 (sample # KMS-8), Classroom 209 (sample # KMS-9) and Principal's Office (sample # KMS 10) were (1.4 X – 37 X) higher than the total mold spore concentration obtained in the background sample (sample # KMS-BG.) The significantly high concentration of total mold spores detected in these samples may indicate the presence of a potential indoor source(s) of mold in these areas.

The concentration *Aspergillus/ Penicillium* spores detected in the above-mentioned areas were also significantly higher than the concentration of *Aspergillus/ Penicillium* spores detected in the background sample. *Aspergillus/ Penicillium* are the most common mold species that are detected in indoor air samples. Most of the hundreds of sub-species are allergenic with only a few that are toxic. This group of species will grow with only the humidity in the air as its water source.

The areas with elevated mold spores were re-sampled on February 27, 2021 following cleanup activities. The results indicated that the total mold spore concentrations in all interior locations samples were below the background concentration. The results did not indicate elevated levels of airborne total fungal spores in these interior locations sampled.



The summary of the results for the spore trap sampling are provided in Table 3 in **Attachment A**. The laboratory analytical results, including speciation and chain of custody forms for the spore trap samples are included in **Attachment B**.

**CONCLUSIONS**

- The follow issues were identified during the visual inspections:
  - Classroom 109: A water-stained ceiling with visible suspect surface mold was observed above the fan coil unit. Flaking paint was observed on several walls.
  - Classroom 107 (Autism Room): The ceiling-mounted air supply grills had dust accumulations.
  - Classroom 103: Several water-stained ceiling tiles and several missing ceiling tiles were observed. The ceiling-mounted air supply grills had dust accumulations.
  - Conference Room 5: Two (2) missing ceiling tiles were observed. A mild chemical odor was detected form the conference room.
  - Media Room: The return air and supply grills located on the walls of the Media Room appeared to have dust accumulations
  - Multipurpose Room: The wall-mounted return air grills and ceiling mounted supply grills also contained dust accumulations. Ceiling tiles with minor water stains were also observed in the multipurpose room.
  - Classroom 219: The air supply grills located on the ceiling appeared to contain dust accumulations
  - Classroom 205: Access debris accumulation was noted on the air supply grills of the fan coil unit.
- The temperature level in Room 109 was marginally below the lower temperature standard of 68.0°F recommended by ASHRAE for winter months.
- The Relative humidity, CO<sub>2</sub>, CO readings and particulate matter less than 10 microns (PM10) recorded within the assessed areas were within industry standards and guidelines;
- The total mold spore concentrations in all interior locations assessed were below the background sample concentration and were also consistent with those observed in the background sample. The results do not indicate elevated levels of airborne total fungal spores in the interior locations sampled.

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

Based on the results of our visual inspection, Tidewater proposes the following:

- Investigate the drop ceiling above the water-stained ceiling tiles in Classroom 109, Classroom 103, and Multipurpose Room for any ongoing water leaks or condensation problems. If any ongoing moisture problems are detected, take immediate action to repair them. Remove the water-stained ceiling tiles in these areas and replace with new ceiling tiles.
- Replace all missing ceiling tiles in Classroom 103 and Conference Room 5.





- Appropriate steps should be taken to remediate the water-stained ceiling tiles with visible suspect surface mold in Classroom 109. Sanitize the surrounding area including the ceiling grid with a commercially available (EPA approved) fungicide to mitigate existing fungal spores prior to installing new ceiling tiles.
- The following areas should be cleaned with a commercially available (EPA approved) disinfectant on a routine basis to remove dust and grime buildup.
  - The ceiling-mounted air supply grills in Classroom 107 (Autism Room);
  - The ceiling-mounted air supply grills in Classroom 103.
  - The return air and supply grills located on the walls of the Media Room.
  - The wall-mounted return air grills and ceiling mounted supply grills in Multi-purpose room.
  - The ceiling-mounted air supply grills in Classroom 219.
- Ensure the Heating Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) System supplying air to all common areas and classrooms is properly balanced per design requirements and are turned on and are operating at all times to ensure adequate ventilation throughout the classrooms and common areas before the school re-opens.
- Maintain good housekeeping practices in all common areas and classrooms. All common area and classrooms floors should be broom cleaned at the end of each day once the school re-opens for students. Furthermore, all horizontal surfaces including desktops, furniture, window sills, and light fixtures should be cleaned on a routine basis to prevent the accumulation of dust.

**Qualifications**

Tidewater endeavored to investigate existing conditions in select areas of Kenmoor Middle School located at 2500 Kenmoor Drive, in Landover, Maryland as they pertain to indoor air quality and mold contamination. Our conclusions and recommendations are based on observations made on the day of our assessment, laboratory data from the time of the assessment, and information provided by both our Client and the area occupants. Actual conditions vary from day to day throughout the year.

Tidewater appreciates the opportunity to provide Industrial Hygiene consulting services for Prince George’s County Public Schools. Please contact us should any questions arise concerning this report or if we may be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

***Tidewater, Inc.***

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- Attachments: **Attachment A – Summary of Comfort Parameters, PM10 Particulate Dust, and Microbial Results**  
**Attachment B – Laboratory Reports and Chain of Custody Forms**  
**Attachment C – Instrument Calibration Certificates**  
**Attachment D – Relevant Certifications**  
**Attachment E – Floor Plan with Sampling Locations**





**APPENDIX A**

**COMFORT PARAMETERS, PM10 PARTICULATE DUST, AND  
MICROBIAL RESULTS**



<b>Table 1: Indoor Air Quality Comfort Parameters Kenmoor Middle School</b>				
<b>Location</b>	<b>Temperature (°F)</b>	<b>Carbon Dioxide (ppm)</b>	<b>Relative Humidity (%)</b>	<b>Carbon Monoxide (ppm)</b>
<b>January 27, 2021</b>				
Classroom 109	<b>67.2</b>	480	29.5	0.1
Classroom 107	70.6	473	28.9	0.0
Classroom 103	68.5	465	30.8	0.0
Conference Room 5	67.7	462	39.6	0.0
Media Center	72.0	791	30.2	0.0
Multipurpose Room	75.6	480	26.8	0.0
Classroom 219	70.5	447	22.9	0.0
Classroom 224 (Music Room)	70.9	496	25.4	0.0
Classroom 205	70.2	458	34.0	0.0
Classroom 209	68.5	462	26.8	0.0
Principal's Office	70.0	547	32.0	0.0
Background (Outdoors)	58.0	488	35.5	0.2

\*Highlighted Areas indicate locations with temperature levels below the American Society for Heating Refrigeration and Air Conditioning (ASHRAE) Standard 62.1 – 2019 recommended standards for winter months.



<b>Table 2: Particulate Matter Less than 10 Microns (PM10) Kenmoor Middle School</b>	
<b>Location</b>	<b>Particulate Matter (PM10)</b>
	<b>Concentration (mg/m<sup>3</sup>)</b>
<b>January 27, 2021</b>	
Classroom 109	0.038
Classroom 107	0.004
Classroom 103	0.001
Conference Room 5	0.004
Media Center	0.002
Multipurpose Room	0.003
Classroom 219	0.003
Classroom 224 (Music Room)	0.002
Classroom 205	0.002
Classroom 209	0.006
Principal's Office	0.003
Background (Outdoors)	0.003



<b>Table 3: Spore Trap Sampling Results Kenmoor Middle School</b>				
<b>January 27, 2021</b>				
<b>Sample Number</b>	<b>Sample Location</b>	<b>Sample Volume (L)</b>	<b><i>Aspergillus Penicillium</i> Concentration (Counts/m<sup>3</sup>)</b>	<b>Total Fungi Concentration (Counts/m<sup>3</sup>)</b>
KMS-1	Classroom 109	75.0	200	320
KMS-2	Classroom 107	75.0	<b>7,390</b>	<b>9,130</b>
KMS-3	Classroom 103	75.0	<b>2,500</b>	<b>2,800</b>
KMS-4	Media Center	75.0	100	960
KMS-5	Multipurpose Room	75.0	300	950
KMS-6	Classroom 219	75.0	200	460
KMS-7	Classroom 224 (Music Room)	75.0	300	500
KMS-8	Classroom 205	75.0	<b>820</b>	<b>1,220</b>
KMS-9	Classroom 209	75.0	<b>29,800</b>	<b>31,190</b>
KMS-10	Principal's Office	75.0	<b>3,400</b>	<b>6,000</b>
KMS-BG	Background	75.0	80	860

\*Highlighted areas indicate locations with a significantly high concentration of *Aspergillus/penicillium* spores and Total mold spores when compared with the background sample.

**Table 3: Spore Trap Sampling Results  
Kenmoor Middle School****February 27, 2021**

<b>Sample Number</b>	<b>Sample Location</b>	<b>Sample Volume (L)</b>	<b><i>Aspergillus Penicillium</i> Concentration (Counts/m<sup>3</sup>)</b>	<b>Total Fungi Concentration (Counts/m<sup>3</sup>)</b>
KMS-1	Principal's Office	75.0	-	100
KMS-2	Classroom 209	75.0	400	400
KMS-3	Classroom 205	75.0	100	220
KMS-4	Classroom 103	75.0	550	620
KMS-5	Classroom 107	75.0	100	140
KMS-BG	Background	75.0	-	1,940



**APPENDIX B**

**LABORATORY REPORTS AND CHAIN OF CUSTODY FORMS**



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### Test Report: Allergenco-D(™) Analysis of Fungal Spores & Particulates by Optical Microscopy (Methods MICRO-SOP-201, ASTM D7391)

Lab Sample Number:	372101484-0001			372101484-0002			372101484-0003		
Client Sample ID:	KMS-1			KMS-2			KMS-3		
Volume (L):	75			75			75		
Sample Location:	Room 109			Autism 107			Room 103		
Spore Types	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total
Alternaria (Ulocladium)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ascospores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aspergillus/Penicillium	5	200	62.5	180	7390	80.9	61	2500	89.3
Basidiospores	1	40	12.5	39	1600	17.5	4	200	7.1
Bipolaris++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chaetomium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cladosporium	2	80	25	3	100	1.1	3	100	3.6
Curvularia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Epicoccum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fusarium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ganoderma	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Myxomycetes++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pithomyces++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scopulariopsis/Microascus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stachybotrys/Memnoniella	-	-	-	1	40	0.4	-	-	-
Unidentifiable Spores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zygomycetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>9130</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>2800</b>	<b>100</b>
Hyphal Fragment	-	-	-	4	200	-	1	40	-
Insect Fragment	-	-	-	1*	10*	-	-	-	-
Pollen	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	40	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 600x	-	41	-	-	41	-	-	41	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 300x	-	13*	-	-	13*	-	-	13*	-
Skin Fragments (1-4)	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Fibrous Particulate (1-4)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Background (1-5)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-

++ Includes other spores with similar morphology; see EMSL's fungal glossary for each specific category.

Vincent Iuzzolino, M.S., Laboratory Director  
or other Approved Signatory

No discernable field blank was submitted with this group of samples.

EMSL maintains liability limited to cost of analysis. Interpretation and use of test results are the responsibility of the client. This report relates only to the samples reported above, and may not be reproduced, except in full, without written approval by EMSL. EMSL bears no responsibility for sample collection activities or analytical method limitations. The report reflects the samples as received. Results are generated from the field sampling data (sampling volumes and areas, locations, etc.) provided by the client on the Chain of Custody. Samples are within quality control criteria and met method specifications unless otherwise noted. High levels of background particulate can obscure spores and other particulates, leading to underestimation. Background levels of 5 indicate an overloading of background particulates, prohibiting accurate detection and quantification. Present = Spores detected on overloaded samples. Results are not blank corrected unless otherwise noted. The detection limit is equal to one fungal spore, structure, pollen, fiber particle or insect fragment. "\*" Denotes particles found at 300X. "-" Denotes not detected. Due to method stopping rules, raw counts in excess of 100 are extrapolated based on the percentage analyzed.

Samples analyzed by EMSL Analytical, Inc. Cinnaminson, NJ AIHA-LAP, LLC-EMLAP Accredited #100194

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Client Sample ID:	KMS-4			KMS-5			KMS-6		
Volume (L):	75			75			75		
Sample Location:	Media Center			Multipurpose Room			Room 219		
Spore Types	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total
Alternaria (Ulocladium)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ascospores	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	40	8.7
Aspergillus/Penicillium	3	100	10.4	7	300	31.6	5	200	43.5
Basidiospores	16	660	68.8	10	410	43.2	2	80	17.4
Bipolaris++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chaetomium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cladosporium	4	200	20.8	4	200	21.1	3	100	21.7
Curvularia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Epicoccum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fusarium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ganoderma	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Myxomycetes++	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	40	8.7
Pithomyces++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rust	-	-	-	1	40	4.2	-	-	-
Scopulariopsis/Microascus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stachybotrys/Memnoniella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unidentifiable Spores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zygomycetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>960</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>100</b>
Hyphal Fragment	1	40	-	2	80	-	1	40	-
Insect Fragment	-	-	-	1	40	-	-	-	-
Pollen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 600x	-	41	-	-	41	-	-	41	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 300x	-	13*	-	-	13*	-	-	13*	-
Skin Fragments (1-4)	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	1	-
Fibrous Particulate (1-4)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Background (1-5)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-

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Lab Sample Number: Client Sample ID: Volume (L): Sample Location:	372101484-0007			372101484-0008			372101484-0009		
	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total
KMS-7 75 Room 224	KMS-8 75 Room 205	KMS-9 75 Room 209							
<b>Spore Types</b>	<b>Raw Count</b>	<b>Count/m<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>% of Total</b>	<b>Raw Count</b>	<b>Count/m<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>% of Total</b>	<b>Raw Count</b>	<b>Count/m<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>% of Total</b>
Alternaria (Ulocladium)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ascospores	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	80	0.3
Aspergillus/Penicillium	8	300	60	20	820	67.2	726	29800	95.5
Basidiospores	3	100	20	8	300	24.6	18	740	2.4
Bipolaris++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chaetomium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cladosporium	3	100	20	-	-	-	13	530	1.7
Curvularia	-	-	-	3	100	8.2	-	-	-
Epicoccum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fusarium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ganoderma	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Myxomycetes++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pithomyces++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scopulariopsis/Microascus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stachybotrys/Memnoniella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unidentifiable Spores	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	40	0.1
Zygomycetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>1220</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>31190</b>	<b>100</b>
Hyphal Fragment	3	100	-	2	80	-	5	200	-
Insect Fragment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pollen	-	-	-	1	40	-	-	-	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 600x	-	41	-	-	41	-	-	41	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 300x	-	13*	-	-	13*	-	-	13*	-
Skin Fragments (1-4)	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	2	-
Fibrous Particulate (1-4)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Background (1-5)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-

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Lab Sample Number:	372101484-0010			372101484-0011			
Client Sample ID:	KMS-10			KMS-BG			
Volume (L):	75			75			
Sample Location:	Principal's Office			Background			
Spore Types	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	
Alternaria (Ulocladium)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ascospores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aspergillus/Penicillium	82	3400	56.7	2	80	9.3	-
Basidiospores	37	1500	25	16	660	76.7	-
Bipolaris++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chaetomium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cladosporium	26	1100	18.3	1	40	4.7	-
Curvularia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Epicoccum	-	-	-	2	80	9.3	-
Fusarium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ganoderma	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Myxomycetes++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pithomyces++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scopulariopsis/Microascus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stachybotrys/Memnoniella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unidentifiable Spores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zygomycetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>6000</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>860</b>	<b>100</b>	
Hyphal Fragment	10	410	-	-	-	-	-
Insect Fragment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pollen	1*	10*	-	-	-	-	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 600x	-	41	-	-	41	-	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 300x	-	13*	-	-	13*	-	-
Skin Fragments (1-4)	-	2	-	-	1	-	-
Fibrous Particulate (1-4)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Background (1-5)	-	2	-	-	1	-	-

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<b>Non Culturable Air Samples (Spore Traps) – Test Codes</b>					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M001 Air-O-Cell</li> <li>• M049 BioSIS</li> <li>• M030 Micro 5</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M173 Allegro M2</li> <li>• M003 Burkard</li> <li>• M174 MoldSnap</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M004 Allergenco</li> <li>• M043 Cyclex</li> <li>• M176 Relle Smart</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M032 Allergenco-D</li> <li>• M002 Cyclex-d</li> <li>• M130 Via-Cell</li> <li>• M172 Versa Trap</li> </ul>		
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M041 Fungal Direct Examination</li> <li>• M005 Viable Fungi ID and Count</li> <li>• M006 Viable Fungi ID and Count (Speciation)</li> <li>• M007 Culturable Fungi</li> <li>• M008 Culturable Fungi (Speciation)</li> <li>• M009 Gram Stain Culturable Bacteria</li> <li>• M010 Bacterial Count and ID – 3 Most Prominent</li> <li>• M011 Bacterial Count and ID – 5 Most Prominent</li> <li>• M013 Sewage Contamination in Buildings</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M014 Endotoxin Analysis</li> <li>• M015 Heterotrophic Plate Count</li> <li>• M180 Real Time Q-PCR-ERMI 36 Panel</li> <li>• M018 Total Coliform (Membrane Filtration)</li> <li>• M020 Fecal Streptococcus (Membrane Filtration)</li> <li>• M210-215 Legionella Detection</li> <li>• M026 Recreational Water Screen</li> <li>• M027 Mycotoxin Analysis</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M029 Enterococci</li> <li>• M019 Fecal Coliform</li> <li>• M133 MRSA Analysis</li> <li>• M028 Cryptococcus neoformans Detection</li> <li>• M120 Histoplasma capsulatum Detection</li> <li>• M033-39 Allergen Testing</li> <li>• M044 Group Allergen (Cat, Dog, Cockroach, Dustmites)</li> <li>• Other See Analytical Price Guide</li> </ul>			
<b>Preservation Method (Water):</b>					
Name of Sampler: Skanda Abeyesekere		Signature of Sampler:			
Sample #	Sample Location	Sample Type	Test Code	Volume/Area	Date/Time Collected
Example: A1	Kitchen	Air	M001	75L	1/1/12 4:00 PM
KMS-1	Room 109	Air	M032	75.0L	01/27/2021
KMS-2	Autism 107				
KMS-3	Room 103				
KMS-4	Media Center				
KMS-5	Multi-purpose Rm				
KMS-6	Room 219				
KMS-7	Room 224				
KMS-8	Room 205				
KMS-9	Room 209				
Client Sample # (s):	11		Total # of Samples:	11	
Relinquished (Client):		Date:	01/27/21	Time:	10:00 am
Received (Client):		Date:	1/29/21	Time:	2:50 pm
Comments:	Chalera FX		2/1/21	9:00	







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Lab Sample Number:	182100739-0001			182100739-0002			182100739-0003		
Client Sample ID:	KMS-1			KMS-3			KMS-2		
Volume (L):	75			75			75		
Sample Location:	Principal's Office			Room 205			Room 209		
Spore Types	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total
Alternaria (Ulocladium)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ascospores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aspergillus/Penicillium	-	-	-	3	100	45.5	9	400	100
Basidiospores	3	100	100	2	80	36.4	-	-	-
Bipolaris++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chaetomium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cladosporium	-	-	-	1	40	18.2	-	-	-
Curvularia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Epicoccum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fusarium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ganoderma	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Myxomycetes++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pithomyces++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scopulariopsis/Microascus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stachybotrys/Memnoniella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unidentifiable Spores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zygomycetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>100</b>
Hyphal Fragment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Insect Fragment	-	-	-	-	-	-	1*	10*	-
Pollen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 600x	-	42	-	-	42	-	-	42	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 300x	-	13*	-	-	13*	-	-	13*	-
Skin Fragments (1-4)	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	2	-
Fibrous Particulate (1-4)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Background (1-5)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-

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Lab Sample Number:	182100739-0004			182100739-0005			182100739-0006		
Client Sample ID:	KMS-4			KMS-5			KMS-BG		
Volume (L):	75			75			75		
Sample Location:	Room 103			Room 107			Background		
Spore Types	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total
Alternaria (Ulocladium)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ascospores	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	840	43.3
Aspergillus/Penicillium	13	550	88.7	3	100	71.4	-	-	-
Basidiospores	1	40	6.5	1	40	28.6	27	1100	56.7
Bipolaris++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chaetomium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cladosporium	2*	30*	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Curvularia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Epicoccum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fusarium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ganoderma	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Myxomycetes++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pithomyces++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scopulariopsis/Microascus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stachybotrys/Memnoniella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unidentifiable Spores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zygomycetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>1940</b>	<b>100</b>
Hyphal Fragment	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	40	-
Insect Fragment	1	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pollen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 600x	-	42	-	-	42	-	-	42	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 300x	-	13*	-	-	13*	-	-	13*	-
Skin Fragments (1-4)	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	1	-
Fibrous Particulate (1-4)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Background (1-5)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-

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No discernable field blank was submitted with this group of samples.

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Samples analyzed by EMSL Analytical, Inc. Plymouth Meeting, PA AIHA-LAP, LLC-EMLAP Accredited #178659

Initial report from: 03/03/2021 11:41 AM

For information on the fungi listed in this report, please visit the Resources section at [www.emsl.com](http://www.emsl.com)



# Microbiology Chain of Custody

EMSL Order Number (Lab Use Only)

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PHONE  
FAX

Company: Tidewater Inc.		EMSL-Bill to: <input type="checkbox"/> Different <input type="checkbox"/> Same <small>If Bill to is Different note instructions in Comments**</small>	
Street: 6625 Selnick Drive, Suite A		Third Party Billing requires written authorization from third party	
City: Elkridge	State/Province: MD	Zip/Postal Code:	Country:
Report To (Name): Skanda Abeyesekere		Telephone #:	
Email Address: skanda@tideh2o.net		Fax #:	Purchase Order:
Project Name/Number: PGCPS <b>Kenmore</b>	Please Provide Results: <input type="checkbox"/> FAX <input type="checkbox"/> E-mail <input type="checkbox"/> Mail		
U.S. State Samples Taken: MD <b>Middle School</b>	Connecticut Samples: <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Residential		

**Turnaround Time (TAT) Options\* - Please Check**

3 Hour  
  6 Hour  
  24 Hour  
  48 Hour  
  72 Hour  
  96 Hour  
  1 Week  
  2 Week

\*Analysis completed in accordance with EMSL's Terms and Conditions located in the Analytical Price Guide. TATs are subject to methodology requirements

**Non Culturable Air Samples (Spore Traps) - Test Codes**

• M001 Air-O-Cell	• M173 Allegro M2	• M004 Allergenco	• M032 Allergenco-D	• M172 Versa Trap
• M049 BioSIS	• M003 Burkard	• M043 Cyclex	• M002 Cyclex-d	
• M030 Micro 5	• M174 MoldSnap	• M176 Relle Smart	• M130 Via-Cell	

**Other Microbiology Test Codes**

• M041 Fungal Direct Examination • M005 Viable Fungi ID and Count • M006 Viable Fungi ID and Count (Speciation) • M007 Culturable Fungi • M008 Culturable Fungi (Speciation) • M009 Gram Stain Culturable Bacteria • M010 Bacterial Count and ID - 3 Most Prominent • M011 Bacterial Count and ID - 5 Most Prominent • M013 Sewage Contamination in Buildings	• M014 Endotoxin Analysis • M015 Heterotrophic Plate Count • M180 Real Time Q-PCR-ERMI 36 Panel • M018 Total Coliform (Membrane Filtration) • M020 Fecal Streptococcus (Membrane Filtration) • M210-215 Legionella Detection • M026 Recreational Water Screen • M027 Mycotoxin Analysis	• M029 Enterococci • M019 Fecal Coliform • M133 MRSA Analysis • M028 Cryptococcus neoformans Detection • M120 Histoplasma capsulatum Detection • M033-39 Allergen Testing (Cat, Dog, Cockroach, Dustmites) • Other See Analytical Price Guide
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Preservation Method (Water):

Name of Sampler: **SKANDA ABEYESEKERE**      Signature of Sampler: *[Signature]*

Sample #	Sample Location	Sample Type	Test Code	Volume/Area	Date/Time Collected
Example: A1	Kitchen	Air	M001	75L	1/1/12 4:00 PM
KMS-1	Principal's office ✓	Air	M032	75.0	02/27/21
KMS-3	Room 205 ✓	↓	↓	↓	↓
KMS-2	Room 209 ✓	↓	↓	↓	↓
KMS-4	Room 103 ✓	↓	↓	↓	↓
KMS-5	Room 107 ✓	↓	↓	↓	↓
KMS-BG	Background ✓	↓	↓	↓	↓

Client Sample # (s): **6**      Total # of Samples: **6**

Relinquished (Client): *[Signature]*      Date: **02/27/21**      Time: **12:00 PM**

Received (Client): *[Signature]*      Date: **3.2.21**      Time: **10:30**

Comments:

*EMSL Fedex (no 4/4)*

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**APPENDIX C**

**INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION CERTIFICATES**





# CERTIFICATE OF CALIBRATION AND TESTING

TSI Incorporated, 500 Cardigan Road, Shoreview, MN 55126 USA  
 Tel: 1-800-874-2811 1-651-490-2811 Fax: 1-651-490-3824 <http://www.tsi.com>

ENVIRONMENT CONDITIONS			<b>MODEL</b>	<b>9565-X</b>
TEMPERATURE	74.1 (23.4)	°F (°C)		
RELATIVE HUMIDITY	26	%RH		
BAROMETRIC PRESSURE	29.26 (990.9)	inHg (hPa)		
			<b>SERIAL NUMBER</b>	<b>9565X1945002</b>

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AS LEFT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN TOLERANCE
<input type="checkbox"/> AS FOUND	<input type="checkbox"/> OUT OF TOLERANCE

-- CALIBRATION VERIFICATION RESULTS --

THERMO COUPLE <sup>^</sup>				SYSTEM PRESSURE01-01				Unit: °F (°C)
#	STANDARD	MEASURED	ALLOWABLE RANGE	#	STANDARD	MEASURED	ALLOWABLE RANGE	
1	71.6 (22.0)	71.6 (22.0)	69.6~73.6 (20.9~23.1)					

BAROMETRIC PRESSURE				SYSTEM PRESSURE01-01				Unit: inHg (hPa)
#	STANDARD	MEASURED	ALLOWABLE RANGE	#	STANDARD	MEASURED	ALLOWABLE RANGE	
1	29.26 (990.9)	29.26 (990.9)	28.67~29.85 (970.9~1010.8)					

<sup>^</sup> Circuit portion of temperature measurement only, not including probe.

*TSI does hereby certify that the above described instrument conforms to the original manufacturer's specification (not applicable to As Found data), and has been calibrated using standards whose accuracies are traceable to the United States National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) or has been verified with respect to instrumentation whose accuracy is traceable to NIST, or is derived from accepted values of physical constants. TSI's calibration system is registered to ISO 9001:2015*

<u>Measurement Variable</u>	<u>System ID</u>	<u>Last Cal.</u>	<u>Cal. Due</u>	<u>Measurement Variable</u>	<u>System ID</u>	<u>Last Cal.</u>	<u>Cal. Due</u>
DC Voltage	E003299	06-06-19	12-31-20	DC Voltage	E003500	06-06-19	12-31-20
Temperature	E004626	01-09-19	01-31-20	Pressure	E003302	08-07-19	02-29-20
Pressure	E003303	08-26-19	02-29-20				

Rose Germain

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CALIBRATED

November 8, 2019

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DATE



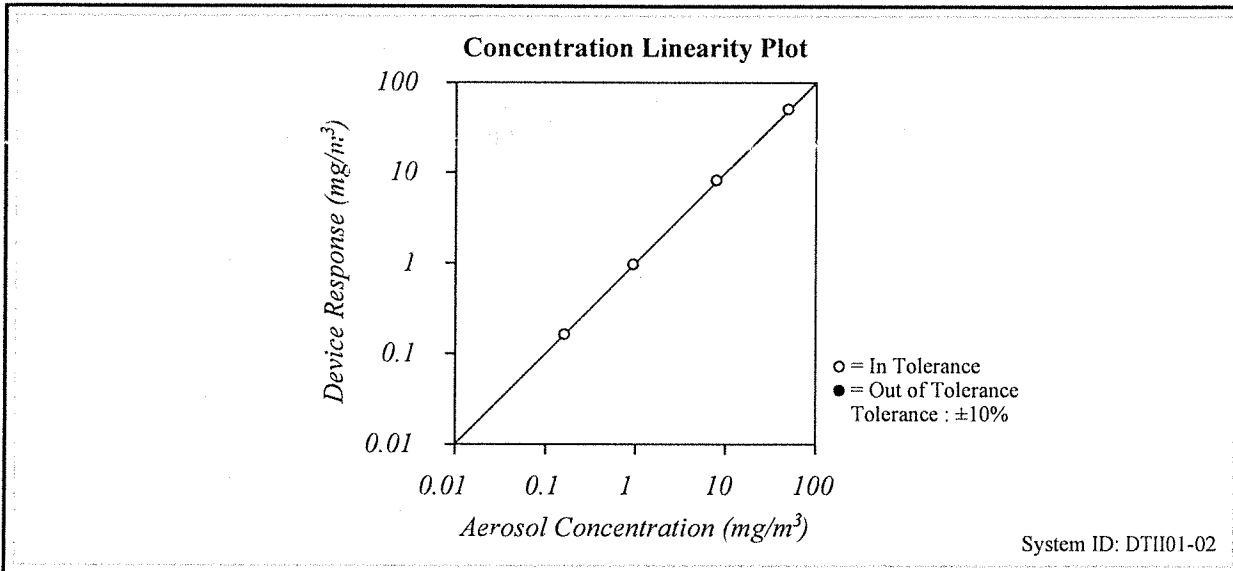


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Environment Conditions			Model	<b>8534</b>
Temperature	75.83 (24.4)	°F (°C)	Serial Number	<b>8534170101</b>
Relative Humidity	43.6	%RH		
Barometric Pressure	28.93 (979.7)	inHg (hPa)		

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> As Left	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> In Tolerance	
<input type="checkbox"/> As Found	<input type="checkbox"/> Out of Tolerance	



FLOW AND PRESSURE VERIFICATION				SYSTEM DTH101-01			
Parameter	Standard	Measured	Allowable Range	Parameter	Standard	Measured	Allowable Range
Flow lpm	3.00	3.03	2.88 ~ 3.12	Pressure kPa	97.8	97.8	92.95 ~ 102.73
Full Flow lpm	N/A	4.54	>3.80				

*TSI Incorporated does hereby certify that all materials, components, and workmanship used in the manufacture of this equipment are in strict accordance with the applicable specifications agreed upon by TSI and the customer and with all published specifications. All performance and acceptance tests required under this contract were successfully conducted according to required specifications. There is no NIST standard for optical mass measurements. Calibration of this instrument performed by TSI has been done using emery oil and has been nominally adjusted to respirable mass per standard ISO 12103-1, Ai test dust (Arizona dust). Our calibration ratio is greater than 1.2:1*

Measurement Variable	System ID	Last Cal.	Cal. Due	Measurement Variable	System ID	Last Cal.	Cal. Due
DC Voltage	E003314	01-15-20	01-31-21	Photometer	E005612	08-19-20	02-28-21
Microbalance	M001324	10-03-18	10-31-20	1 um PSL	698880	n/a	n/a
3 um PSL	221853	n/a	n/a	10 um PSL	212455	n/a	n/a
Pressure	E003511	10-04-19	10-31-20	Flowmeter	E005140	01-09-20	01-31-21
DC Voltage	E003315	01-15-20	01-31-21	Photometer	E003433	09-15-20	03-31-21
Flowmeter	E005922	06-29-20	06-30-21	DC Voltage(Keithley)	E002859	06-15-20	06-30-21
Microbalance	M001324	10-03-18	10-31-20	Pressure	E005651	07-06-20	07-31-21
1 um PSL	698880	n/a	n/a	3 um PSL	206030	n/a	n/a
10 um PSL	212455	n/a	n/a				

David Farrell

September 24, 2020

Calibrated

Date

# Certificate of Conformance

Buck BioAire™

Buck BioSlide™

Serial number: B153043 Date Issued: 3-18-20

## Flow Calibration

The instrument listed above is in conformance with factory specifications and the flow is set to nominal using a BUCK Calibrator which is N.I.S.T. traceable to A. P. Buck, Inc. Calibration Procedure APB-1, Ver. 6.2.

**QA APPROVAL BY:** Thomas J. Coomaver

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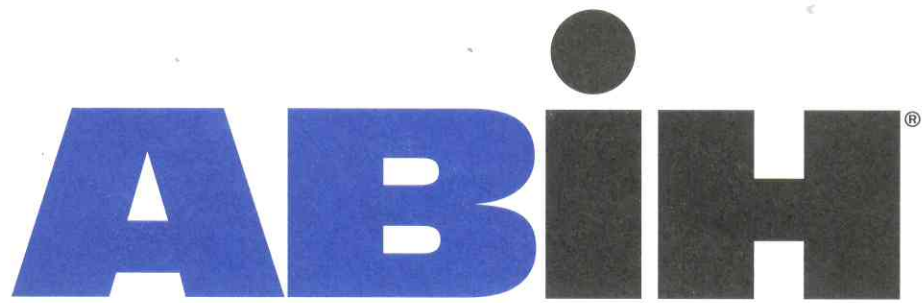
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**APPENDIX D**  
**RELEVANT CERTIFICATIONS**



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organized to improve the practice of industrial hygiene  
proclaims that

*Skandakumar Harshanath Abeyesekere*

having met all requirements of  
education, experience and examination, and  
ongoing maintenance,  
is hereby certified in the

**COMPREHENSIVE PRACTICE  
of  
INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE**

and has the right to use the designations

**CERTIFIED INDUSTRIAL HYGIENIST**

**CIH**

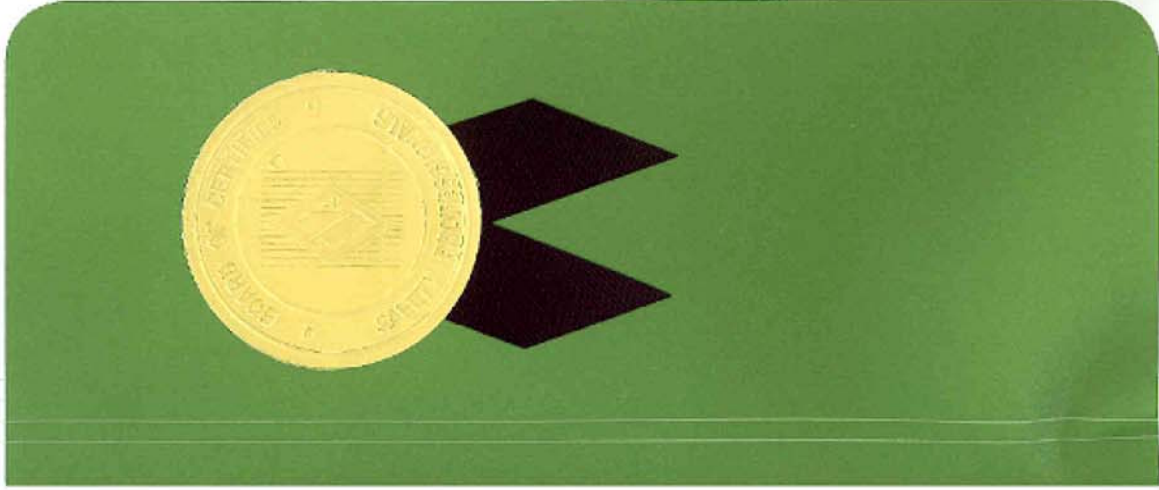
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Expiration Date:	December 1, 2021



*Susan Ripple*  
Chair, ABIH

*William K. Oliver*  
Chief Executive Officer, ABIH





# BOARD OF CERTIFIED SAFETY PROFESSIONALS

affirms that

## Skandakumar Abeyesekere

Has applied for, met qualifications, and passed required examination(s) and is hereby authorized to use the designation

### Certified Safety Professional® in Comprehensive Practice

So long as this certificate is not suspended or revoked and the certificant renews this authorization annually and meets Continuance of Certification requirements.

Board of Examiners in witness whereof we have here unto  
set our hands and affixed the Seal of the Board this  
7th Day of April, 2008



<i>Paul S Adams</i>	President
<i>Linda Japp</i>	Secretary
20110	CSP No.



THIS CERTIFIES THAT

*Skandakumar Abeyeskere*

HAS SUCCESSFULLY MET ALL THE REQUIREMENTS OF EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE AND EXAMINATION, AND IS HEREBY DESIGNATED A

**CERTIFIED HAZARDOUS MATERIALS MANAGER  
CHMM**



May 13, 2016

DATE OF CERTIFICATION

19053

CREDENTIAL NUMBER

May 31, 2021

CERTIFICATION EXPIRES

*M. Patricia Buley*  
ACTING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

VALID SO LONG AS THIS CREDENTIAL IS RENEWED ACCORDING TO SCHEDULE AND IS NOT OTHERWISE REVOKED.



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**APPENDIX E**

**FLOOR PLAN WITH SAMPLING LOCATIONS**

# Kenmoor Middle School



General Notes

Scale: N/A

Attachment C  
**Kenmoor Middle School**  
 Floor Plan with Sampling Locations



Project #: 5419-048  
 Date: January 27, 2021

▲ = Sample Location