

January 6, 2022

**GeoEngineers, Inc.** 600 Stewart Street, Suite 1700 Seattle, WA 98101

### LIMITED ASBESTOS SURVEY

Irving R. Newhouse Senate Building 215 Sid Snyder Avenue SW Olympia, WA 98504

### PacRim # 17283

On January 5, 2022, Matt DeDominces of Pacific Rim Environmental, Inc. (PacRim) performed a limited inspection and testing of suspect asbestos-containing materials associated with the exposed pipe insulation in room 212 at Irving R. Newhouse Senate Building located at 215 Sid Snyder Avenue SW in Olympia, Washington. The scope of work is limited to the pipe insulation within the West wall of room 212

Mr. DeDominces is an AHERA Accredited Building Inspector, and the Pacific Rim Environmental, Inc. asbestos analytical laboratory is accredited by the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (See Attachments).

This survey is not intended for, nor should it be used as a design specification. The Asbestos in Schools Hazard Amendment and Reauthorization Act (ASHARA), effective November 20, 1990, expanded accreditation requirements to apply to persons who work with asbestos in public and commercial buildings as well as schools. Specifically, ASHARA expanded the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 206 (a) (1) and (3) to require accreditation for any person who designs or conducts a response action with respect to friable ACM in a building. TSCA Section 207 provides for civil penalties of \$5,000 for each day of a violation for not employing accredited individuals to design and conduct response actions.

Sampling of suspect asbestos-containing materials was conducted as prescribed in 40 CFR 763.86.

Suspect asbestos-containing materials within the structure were identified and classified as either surfacing material, thermal system insulation, or miscellaneous material. Surfacing materials are those, which are either spray applied or troweled-on for acoustical, decorative, or fireproofing purposes. Thermal system insulation (TSI) is insulation used to inhibit heat transfer or to prevent condensation on pipes, boilers, tanks, ducts and various other components. Miscellaneous materials include all other materials not listed in the above categories such as floor tile, ceiling tile, roofing felt, cementitious materials, wallboard systems and products such as caulking, mastics and putties.



One (01) sample was collected and submitted for PLM laboratory analysis.

The results are provided in the table below. Laboratory analysis report is attached.

Bulk samples collected were submitted for sample analysis in accordance with method EPA-600/R-93/116: "Method for the Determination of Asbestos in Bulk Building Materials". Analyses were performed in Pacific Rim Environmental, Inc. NVLAP Accredited Laboratory (Lab Code 101631-0). Materials are positive for asbestos if they are found to contain greater than 1% or 1% asbestos. Materials that are less than one percent (<1%) asbestos, although not considered positive for asbestos, when removed must follow applicable Washington State regulations.

Materials uncovered during the course of demolition, renovation, or maintenance activities that are not identified in this inspection report must be presumed to contain asbestos until PLM analysis proves that this material is not asbestos-containing.

Sample	AHERA	Sample Location	Material Description	Asbestos Percentage and
Number	Category			Туре
01	TSI	Room 212, West wall	Pipe insulation	Chrysotile 50-55%





If you have any questions regarding this inspection, please do not hesitate to contact our office via email at <a href="mailto:pre@pacrimenv.com">pre@pacrimenv.com</a> or by phone at (206) 244-8965.

Respectfully,

Melanie Sandefur Project Administrator

Pacific Rim Environmental, Inc.

eview By:

Review Date:

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### **BULK SAMPLE ANALYSIS REPORT**



### Pacific Rim Environmental Inc. **Bulk Sample Analysis Report**



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**Customer:** GeoEngineers, Inc.

600 Stewart St., Ste. 1700

Seattle

WA 98101 Customer

Project Number: None Given

**Project Name:** Irving R. Newhouse Senate Building

**Project Address:** 215 Sid Snyder Avenue SW

Olympia

WA 98504

PO Number: None Given 05-Jan-2022

Sample Date: Total Samples: 1

17283 PacRim Number:

**Report Number:** 2022-01-0054

Date Received: 1/5/2022 1/5/2022 Date(s) Analyzed:

**Turnaround Time:** Rush

Report Date: 1/5/2022

Report By: William F. Golloway

Analyst(s): William F. Golloway

The bulk sample submitted was analyzed for asbestos content using Polarized Light Microscopy (PLM). Analysis was performed in accordance with Appendix E to Subpart E of 40 CFR 763 and EPA/600/R-93/116.

The test results pertain to the sample submitted for analysis. Unless otherwise noted, the sample was inhomogeneous; subsamples of components were analyzed to achieve representative analysis. Separate layers of layered samples are analyzed and reported separately. Unless otherwise stated, asbestos content was quantified by calibrated visual estimation (CVES). CVES concentrations are reported in two to three percent ranges for fiber concentrations ranging from one to ten percent, and usually five percent ranges for concentrations greater than ten percent. Samples in which asbestos was not observed are reported as "None Detected".

Sample analyzed for this report:

**Laboratory ID Number** 

2022-01-0054

### **Limitations and Uncertainty:**

Factors such as sample quality, sample size, interfering matrix material, fiber size, and fiber concentration contribute to the uncertainty in asbestos concentration estimates in bulk materials. Relative errors exceeding 100% may occur in samples containing less than one to ten percent asbestos. Relative errors are typically below thirty percent in samples having greater than ten percent asbestos, and approach zero as the asbestos concentrations approaches 100%.

Asbestos fibers with diameters less than approximately 0.25 microns are not detectable by PLM. Fibers with larger diameters may not be visible if obscured by interfering matrix materials. These extremely fine fibers may occur in floor tiles, adhesives, products with cement binders, and other non-friable or semi-friable materials. This limitation can be overcome using alternative analytical methods, such as Transmission Electron Microscopy (TEM).

This report cannot be represented by the customer to claim product endorsement by the National Voluntary Accreditation Program (NVLAP) or any agency of the United States Government.

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NVLAP Accredited Lab #: 101631-0 Samples Submitted by: PacRim

Approved Signator



### Pacific Rim Environmental Inc. **Bulk Sample Analysis Report**



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**Report Number:** Customer Project Number: None Given 2022-01-0054

**Project Name:** Irving R. Newhouse Senate Building **Date Received:** 1/5/2022 05-Jan-2022 1/5/2022

Sample Date: Date(s) Analyzed: **Report Date:** 1/5/2022

Chrysotile 50-55%

Report By: William F. Golloway Analyst(s): William F. Golloway

Field Sample Description: Analyst: **Field Sample Location:** WFG Field Sample Number: 01 TSI Pipe Insulation Room 212, West Wall Lab ID: 2022-01-0054 Analysis Date: 1/5/2022 Lab Sample Description Asbestos Type/% Non-Asbestos Fibers Non-Fibrous Materials

Light grey, fibrous, aircell-like insulation material with inseparable, white to light brown woven wrap and loose, small aggregate and tar paper fragments Cellulose 10-15% Mineral Aggregate, Binder,

### TECHNICIAN / LABORATORY CERTIFICATIONS

### Certificate of Completion

This is to certify that

### Matt R. DeDominces

has satisfactorily completed 4 hours of refresher training as an

**AHERA Building Inspector** 

to comply with the training requirements of TSCA Title II, 40 CFR 763 (AHERA)

EPA Provider # 1085

182645 Certificate Number



Oct 13, 2021

Expires in 1 year.

Date(s) of Training

Exam Score: N/A (if applicable)

Instructor: John McCaslin

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### National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program



### SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2017

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### ASBESTOS FIBER ANALYSIS

### **NVLAP LAB CODE 101631-0**

### **Bulk Asbestos Analysis**

<u>Code</u>	<u>Description</u>
18/A01	EPA 40 CFR Appendix E to Subpart E of Part 763, Interim Method of the Determination of Asbestos in Bulk Insulation Samples
18/A03	EPA 600/R-93/116: Method for the Determination of Asbestos in Bulk Building Materials

For the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program

### National Institute of Standards and Technology **United States Department of Commerce**



# Certificate of Accreditation to ISO/IEC 17025:2017

**NVLAP LAB CODE:** 101631-0

# Pacific Rim Environmental, Inc.

Tukwila, WA

is accredited by the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program for specific services, isted on the Scope of Accreditation, for:

## Asbestos Fiber Analysis

This accreditation demonstrates technical competence for a defined scope and the operation of a laboratory quality This laboratory is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard ISO/IEC 17025:2017. management system (refer to joint ISO-ILAC-IAF Communique dated January 2009).

2021-04-01 through 2022-03-31



Effective Dates