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**VIA Email**

**Attention: Anna Coates**

**Subject: Progress Report – February 2002  
Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study/Interim Removal Action Measures  
Astoria Area-Wide Petroleum Site  
Astoria, Oregon  
DEQ ECSI File #2277**

Dear Ms. Coates:

This letter presents the progress made by the PRP Group during February 2002 on RI/FS and IRAM Development at the Astoria Area-Wide Petroleum Site in Astoria, Oregon. This work is being conducted in response to DEQ Order No. ECSR-NWR-01-11 (the Order).

**WORK COMPLETED DURING FEBRUARY 2002**

Background information and historical data for each facility named in the Order have continued to be collected during February. Research of DEQ files, environmental databases, US Geological Survey and Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries publications, and Oregon Water Resources Department records was completed. Comprehensive Plan and zoning documents were received from the City of Astoria. Maps suitable for use as a basemap were received from the city Public Works Department. Aerial photographs from 1939 to 2001 were acquired from the US Army Corps of Engineers and University of Oregon.

Evaluation of historical information and data was initiated during February. Analytical data were reviewed and entered into a data management system. Information concerning sampling points (wells, borings, outfalls) is also stored in the system. Quality assurance of the entered data will continue into March.

A detailed outline of the Work Plan was prepared in February. Initial drafts of the Health and Safety Plan (HASP), Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP), and Field Sampling Plan (FSP) are being prepared. The Order called for preparation of a Sampling and Analysis Plan. We have separated this into two parts – the QAPP and FSP – as the focus of each plan is distinct. We believe that the readability of the document will improve by recognizing the distinction.

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**WORK PLANNED FOR MARCH AND APRIL 2002**

The RI/FS and IRAM Development Work Plan will continue to be prepared during March and April 2002. The scheduled submittal date for the draft Work Plan is April 10, 2002.

**PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED AND RESOLUTIONS**

There were no problems encountered during the reporting period.

**CLOSING COMMENTS**

Please call me at (503)768-5121 if you have any questions or comments regarding this progress report.

Sincerely,  
*EnviroLogic Resources, Inc.*

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