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In reply, please refer to:
File: EHASB/Chemistry

January 28, 2020

Mr. Michael Ng
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Dear Mr. Ng:

After a review of the required documents, we are pleased to recommend that the data for drinking water analyses be “accepted” for regulatory purposes by the Hawaii Department of Health, Safe Drinking Water Branch until **January 29, 2021** for the parameters listed on the following pages.

All testing for regulatory drinking water purposes must be done with approved methods that are specified in this certification, and PT studies must be passed using these methodologies. The laboratory annually must successfully complete a PT study for each analyte to be certified. Failure to do so, would result in the loss of approval status with this state. In addition, the laboratory should perform its first PT study within the first half of the year.

It is the laboratory’s responsibility to keep the Department of Health Certification Program informed by continuing to submit results of applicable PT studies, copies of in-state on-site evaluation reports, and immediate notification of any significant changes. The certification of your laboratory in Hawaii is based on your in-state and or on your NELAP certification. Any loss of certification for a specific parameter will result in loss of Hawaii certification for that parameter. **As a result, any changes to your in-state and or your NELAP certification status must be submitted immediately.**

All samples that are contracted out by your laboratory for Hawaii regulatory drinking water monitoring purposes must be analyzed by laboratories that have been approved by the Hawaii Safe Drinking Water Program. A list of Hawaii approved certified laboratories is available from Robert Pineda (808-453-6679) or from the Hawaii Safe Drinking Water Program (808-586-4258).

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To avoid interruption of your approval, you must submit a written request for renewal at least two months prior to the expiration date indicated above.

If you have any questions, please call Robert Pineda, Laboratory Certification Officer, at (808) 453-6679. Thank you for your time and efforts.

Sincerely,



Edward Desmond, Ph.D.
State Laboratories Administrator

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Enclosure

c: J. Seto, Chief, Safe Drinking Water Branch

It is recommended that data from the following laboratory be accepted for drinking water analyses by the State of Hawaii, Department of Health, Safe Drinking Water Branch for regulatory purposes, for the contaminants listed.

Effective Date: January 30, 2020

Expiration Date: January 29, 2021

Accreditation Authority: Oregon NELAP

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Inorganic Chemistry and Physical Properties of Drinking Water

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|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| Bromate | EPA 317.0 |
| Chloride | EPA 300.0 |
| Fluoride | EPA 300.0 |
| Nitrate | EPA 300.0 |
| Nitrite | EPA 300.0 |
| Orthophosphate | EPA 300.0, SM4500P E |
| Sulfate | EPA 300.0 |
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| Bromide | EPA 300.1 |
| Chlorate | EPA 300.1 |
| Chlorite | EPA 300.1 |
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| Perchlorate | EPA 314.0 |
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| Turbidity | SM2130B |
| Alkalinity | SM2320B |
| Corrosivity (Langlier Index) | SM2330B |
| Hardness | SM2340B |
| Conductivity | SM2510B |
| Total Dissolved Solids | SM2540C |
| Cyanide, Total | SM4500CN E |
| pH | SM4500H+B |
| Dissolved Organic Carbon (DOC) | SM5310C |
| Total Organic Carbon (TOC) | SM5310C |
| Surfactants | SM5540C |
| UV254 | SM5910B |
| Chlorine, Free Residual | SM4500Cl F |

Inorganic Chemistry Trace Metals of Drinking Water

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|---------------------|------------------|
| Aluminum | EPA 200.7 |
| Antimony | EPA 200.8 |
| Arsenic | EPA 200.8 |
| Barium | EPA 200.8, 200.7 |
| Beryllium | EPA 200.8 |
| Cadmium | EPA 200.8 |
| Chromium | EPA 200.8 |
| Copper | EPA 200.8, 200.7 |
| Lead | EPA 200.8 |
| Manganese | EPA 200.7 |
| Mercury | EPA 200.8 |
| Nickel | EPA 200.8 |
| Selenium | EPA 200.8 |
| Silver | EPA 200.8, 200.7 |
| Thallium | EPA 200.8 |
| Zinc | EPA 200.8, 200.7 |
| Iron | EPA 200.7 |
| Calcium | EPA 200.7 |
| Magnesium | EPA 200.7 |
| Potassium | EPA 200.7 |
| Sodium | EPA 200.7 |
| Hexavalent Chromium | EPA 218.6 |

Organic Chemistry of Drinking Water

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|---------------------------|-----------|
| Alachlor | EPA 525.3 |
| Aldrin | EPA 505 |
| Atrazine | EPA 525.3 |
| Dieldrin | EPA 505 |
| Endrin | EPA 505 |
| Heptachlor | EPA 505 |
| Heptachlor Epoxide | EPA 505 |
| Hexachlorobenzene | EPA 505 |
| Hexachlorocyclopentadiene | EPA 505 |
| Gamma-BHC(Lindane) | EPA 505 |
| Methoxychlor | EPA 505 |
| Propachlor | EPA 525.3 |
| Simazine | EPA 525.3 |
| Toxaphene | EPA 505 |
| Chlordane | EPA 505 |
| Butachlor | EPA 525.3 |
| Metribuzin | EPA 525.3 |
| Metolachlor | EPA 525.3 |

Organic Chemistry of Drinking Water

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| Molinate | EPA 525.3 |
| PCB Aroclor Screen | EPA 505 |
| Benzo(a) pyrene | EPA 525.3 |
| Di(2-Ethylhexyl) Adipate | EPA 525.3 |
| Di(2-Ethylhexyl) Phthalate | EPA 525.3 |
| Glyphosate | EPA 547 |
| Endothall | EPA 548.1 |
| Diquat | EPA 549.2 |
| Bromoacetic Acid | EPA 552.3 |
| Chloroacetic Acid | EPA 552.3 |
| Dibromoacetic Acid | EPA 552.3 |
| Dichloroacetic Acid | EPA 552.3 |
| Trichloroacetic Acid | EPA 552.3 |
| 2,4-D | EPA 515.4 |
| Dalapon | EPA 515.4 |
| Dicamba | EPA 515.4 |
| Dinoseb | EPA 515.4 |
| Pentachlorophenol | EPA 515.4 |
| Picloram | EPA 515.4 |
| 2,4,5-TP (Silvex) | EPA 515.4 |
| Bentazon | EPA 515.4 |
| Aldicarb | EPA 531.1 |
| Aldicarb Sulfone | EPA 531.1 |
| Aldicarb Sulfoxide | EPA 531.1 |
| Carbaryl | EPA 531.1 |
| Carbofuran | EPA 531.1 |
| 3-Hydroxycarbofuran | EPA 531.1 |
| Methomyl | EPA 531.1 |
| Oxamyl | EPA 531.1 |
| 1,2-dibromoethane (EDB) | EPA 504.1 |
| 1,2-dibromo-3-chloropropane (DBCP) | EPA 504.1 |
| Regulated Volatile Organic Compounds | EPA 524.2 |
| Vinyl Chloride | EPA 524.2 |
| Trihalomethanes | EPA 524.2 |

Organic Chemistry of Drinking Water

Methyl tert-butyl Ether (MTBE)
Tert-Amyl Methyl Ether (TAME)
Ethyl tert-butyl Ether (ETBE)
Trichlorofluoromethane (Freon 11)

EPA 524.2
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RECOMMENDED:

Robert Pineda

1/28/20

Robert Pineda
Certification Officer

Date

APPROVED:

Edward P. Desmond 1/29/20

Edward Desmond, Ph.D.
State Laboratories Administrator

Date