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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
BETHLEHEM DISTRICT OFFICE



January 23, 2014

Lower Saucon Township Manager
3700 Old Philadelphia Pike
Bethlehem, PA 18015

Attn: Mr. Jack Cahalan

Re: IESI PA Bethlehem Landfill
I.D. #100020
Lower Saucon Township, Northampton County

Dear Mr. Cahalan:

Please find enclosed a copy of the report of an inspection performed by this District Office at the IESI PA Bethlehem Landfill, located in your municipality. A copy of the inspection report is being provided to you pursuant to the provisions of Section 1101(a)(1) of Act 101, the Municipal Waste Planning, Recycling and Waste Reduction Act of 1988.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 610-861-2136.

Sincerely,

Walter F. Govern III
Solid Waste Specialist
Waste Management Program

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Inspection ID 2238271

Field Code NA

INSPECTION REPORT – MUNICIPAL WASTE LANDFILL

Site I.D. 100020
 Site Name IESI PA BETHLEHEM LANDFILL
 Address 2335 APPLEBUTTER RD
BETHLEHEM, PA 18015
 Municipality 8924 LOWER SAUCON
 Responsible Official SAMUEL DONATO, JR.
 Person Interviewed SAMUEL DONATO, JR.
 Inspector WALTER F. GOVERN
 eFACTS ID # PF 268729 SF 266826

Telephone # (610) 317-3200
 Operator Name IESI PA BETHLEHEM LANDFILL
 Address 2335 APPLEBUTTER RD
BETHLEHEM, PA 18015
 County NORTHAMPTON
 Title PA DISTRICT MANAGER
 Title PA DISTRICT MANAGER
 Title SOLID WASTE SPECIALIST

Comment: Routine Complete Inspection

Inspection Date: 01/15/2014 Type: RTNC Results: NO VIOLS Resolved: / /
 Permit Expiration Date: 4/17/2023 Days/Week Operated: 6 Max. Daily Volume: 1800 T

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STATUS				REVISION	COMMENTS ATTACHED	CHAPTER CITATION	LINE ITEM
1	2	3	4				
GENERAL PROVISIONS							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Required insurance in effect (expiration date <u>01/31/2014</u>)	<input type="checkbox"/>	271.371	1
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operation in accordance with approved plans and permit.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.201(c)(2)	2
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operation within permit boundaries (vertical and horizontal).	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.201(c)(2)	3
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Disposal Timing and sequence as per Section 273.112(1).	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.201(c)(2)	4
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No unapproved wastes or liquids.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.201(d)-(m)	5
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Isolation distances are adhered to.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.202(a)	6
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Facilities certification requirements followed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.203(a), (b)	7
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Written Department approval of new construction prior to waste disposal.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.203(c)	8
DAILY OPERATIONS							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proper signs posted.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.211(a)	9
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Site perimeter clearly marked and grid coordinate system in use.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.311(b)-(d)	10
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proper barriers installed around site and access controlled when attendant not present.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.212(a)-(l)	11
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Access roads maintained and negotiable by collection vehicles.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.213(a)-(i)	12
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Approved means of measuring and inspected waste utilized.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.214(a), (b)	13
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Adequate equipment on-site and stand-by equipment available.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.215(a), (b)	14
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Vehicles directed promptly to unloading area and promptly unloaded.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.216(a), (b)	15
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Solid waste spread and compacted as approved by Department as part of permit.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.216(c)	16
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator implements fugitive air contaminant control/measures and prevents and controls air pollution including no exceeding of ambient air quality standards, no open burning, and minimizing generation of fugitive dust emissions from facility.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.217(a)	17
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator complies with Air Quality Plan approval and Air quality Operating Permit.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.217(b)	18

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DAILY OPERATIONS (Cont'd)							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator does not cause or allow attraction, harborage, or breeding of vector.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	273.218(a)	19
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator implements nuisance minimization and control plan.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.218(b)(1)	20
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator performs regular, frequent, and comprehensive site inspections to reduce potential for offsite odors.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.218(b)(2)	21
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator promptly addresses and correct problems and deficiencies discovered during inspections.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.218(b)(3)	22
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator implements nuisance minimization and control plan to minimize and control other conditions harmful to the environment or public health, or which create safety hazards, odors, dirt, noise, unsightliness and other public nuisances.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.218(c)	23
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator does not receive solid waste at a landfill in excess of the maximum or average daily volume approved in the permit.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.221(a)	24
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator implements radiation protection action plan.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.223(a)	25
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator monitors incoming waste in accordance with Department's guidance or in a manner at least as protective of the environment, facility staff and public health and safety.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.223(b)	26
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Radiation detector elements shall be as close as practical to wasteload and in appropriate geometry to monitor the waste.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.223(c)	27
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator has portable radiation monitors capable of determining the dose rate and presence of contamination of a vehicle that has caused an alarm. Upon exceedance of alarm level, a radiological survey of the vehicle is performed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.223(d)	28
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator notifies Department immediately and isolates vehicle when radiation dose rates are exceeded.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.223(e)	29
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Monitoring equipment is calibrated at frequency specified by manufacturer, but not less than once a year.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.223(f)	30
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	If radioactive material is detected, vehicle containing material shall not leave facility without written Department approval and an authorized federal Department of Transportation exemption form.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.223(g)	31
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Uniform cover of the approved daily cover material is placed on exposed solid waste at the end of each working day or at the end of every 24 hours, whichever interval is less.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.232(a)	32
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	If intermediate cover requires revegetation, it is established within 30 days.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.233(e)	33
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Slopes constructed during daily landfilling and intermediate cover activities may not exceed 50 percent.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.233(f)	34
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator does not cause or allow waste pollution within or outside the site from operation of the facility.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.241(a)-(c)	35
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator has restored or replaced adversely affected water supply with an alternative source of like quantity and quality.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.245(a)	36
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Temporary water supply is provided within 48 hours.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.245(b)	37
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Permanent water supply is provided within 90 days.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.245(c)	38
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No waste 15 feet of inside top of the lined perimeter berm.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.252(e)	39

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DAILY OPERATIONS (Continued)							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lined perimeter berm 4 ft. high constructed and maintained along edge of the lined disposal area.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.252(f)	40
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Edge of liner clearly marked.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.252(g)	41
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Alternate leachate recirculation method may be used if approved if one of the liner systems is a composite liner.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.274(b)	42
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Underground pipes used to transport leachate to leachate storage impoundments or tanks equipped with secondary containment or comply with 245.445.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.275(g)	43
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator isolates coal seams, coal outcrops and coal refuse from waste deposits to prevent combustion of waste and damage to liner.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.291(a)	44
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mine openings within site sealed as approved by Department.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.291(b)	45
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator implements plan for controlling potential damage from subsidence submitted and approved under 273.120.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.291(c)	46
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Landfill designed, constructed, maintained and operated to prevent and minimize potential for fire, explosion, or release of solid waste constituents into air, water, or soil of the Commonwealth.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.301	47
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Emergency equipment including portable fire extinguishers, fire control equipment, spill control equipment, and decontamination equipment available. For fire equipment requiring water, facility has a water supply of or adequate quantity and pressure to supply the equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.302(a)	48
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Emergency equipment tested and maintained.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.302(c)	49
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Adequate space maintained to allow unobstructed movement of emergency personnel and equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.302(d)	50
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Litter controlled/collected and barriers/fences in place.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.220(a)-(c)	51
COVER/SLOPES/REVEGETATION							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Daily/intermediate cover meets performance and design requirements.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.232(b), 273.233(b), (c)	52
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Minimum 5 day supply of daily and intermediate cover maintained on-site.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.232(c) & 273.233(d)	53
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Intermediate cover applied within time limits.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.233(a)	54
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Intermediate slopes do not exceed 50%.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.232(d)	55
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cap placed over entire surface of final lift meets performance standards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.234(a)(1)	56
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Final cover meets performance and design requirements; applied within time limits.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.234(b)-(e)	57
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Final slopes stable and erosion controlled.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.234(f)	58
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Final slopes graded 3-15% or terraced to 33% as approved.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.234(g)	59
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Minimum revegetation and successful revegetation requirements adhered to.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.235(a)-(e) & 273.236(a), (b)	60
WATER QUALITY PROTECTION							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Surface and groundwater treatment facilities properly operated and maintained.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.241(b)	61
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Surface water percolation minimized/prevented.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.242(b)(1) & 273.234(e)(4)	62

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Soil erosion and sedimentation controls designed and implemented as per approved plans; gullies over nine inches repaired.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.242(a)-(c)	63
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sedimentation ponds and discharge structures designed, constructed, operated, and maintained in accordance with Chapters 273, 102, and 105.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.243(a)-(g) & 273.244	64
				LINER SYSTEM			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Liner system designed, constructed, operated, and maintained when required.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.251(a), (b)	65
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Edge of liner requirements adhered to (i.e., no waste within 25 feet if adjacent liner, 4 feet high lined berm, to prevent lateral escape of leachate, adequate spacing on inside of berm to collect stormwater and sediment).	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.252(d)	66
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leachate detection zone monitored weekly.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.255(c)	67
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Protective cover protects primary liner and leachate collection system and allows free flow of leachate into the collection system.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.257(a)	68
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Protective cover meets minimum requirements and at least 18 inches thick.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.257(b)	69
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leachate collection system within protective cover meets minimum requirements.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.258(a), (b)	70
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Barrier designed, constructed and maintained as required to prevent lateral migration of leachate off-site in surface mined areas.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.259(a)-(d)	71
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	8 feet of select waste placed over protective cover.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.260	73
				LEACHATE TREATMENT			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leachate collected and handled through Department approved method(s).	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.272(a)-(c)	74
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leachate transportation requirements adhered to.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.273(a)-(c)	75
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cessation of site operation if alternate leachate handling not available.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.273(d)	76
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leachate treatment system permitted and fully operational at least 3 years before closure.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.273(e)	77
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leachate recirculation in accordance with regulations.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.274(1)-(4)	78
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leachate collection and storage systems on-site have capacity of 30 days or 250,000 gallons, whichever is greater.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.275(a)-(f)	79
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leachate flow rate measured daily; analyzed quarterly.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.276(a)-(b)	80
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Department notified when remedial action(s) required.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.277(1)-(4)	81
				WATER QUALITY MONITORING			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Approved monitoring system installed and maintained.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.281(a), (b) & 273.283	82
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Quarterly and annual monitoring requirements adhered to and results submitted Department within time constraints.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.284 & 273.285	83
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Groundwater assessment plan submitted and implement as required.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.286(a)-(g)	84
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Groundwater abatement plan submitted and implemented as required.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.287(a)-(f)	85
				RECORDKEEPING AND REPORTING			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operational records maintained, available and submitted as required.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.288 & 273.311-273.313	86
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Daily Operational Records kept in accordance with regulations for the life of the facility bond or longer if necessary.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.311(d)	87

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator submits quarterly operation report.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.312	88
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator submits annual operation report with fee.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.313	89
				MINERALS AND GAS	<input type="checkbox"/>		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gas venting and monitoring in accordance with approved plans.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.292(a)-(d)	90
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Combustible gas levels not exceeded.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.292(e)	91
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Forced gas venting if required.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.292(f)	92
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gas recovery conducted as per approved plan and §273.293, including annual analysis.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.293(a), (b)	93
				EMERGENCY PROCEDURES			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Contingency plan implemented if there is an emergency.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.303(a)-(c)	94
				RECYCLING			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Operator shall salvage and recycle waste in accord with recycling plan. (273.196)	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.331(a)	95
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Salvaging and recycling controlled by operator and prevents interference within operations and prevents health hazardous nuisance.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.331(b)	96
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Salvaged materials stored in an approved area or transported offsite.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.331(c)	97
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Drop off center established for at least three recyclables.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.332(a)	98
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Drop off center properly located, contains bins or containers, open at least 8 hours per week and 4 hours during evenings or weekends.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.332(b), (c)	99
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Approved public notice of availability of drop off center availability is provided.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.332(d)	100
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On or before January 15 each year, operator informs municipality in writing of weight and type of materials recycled previous year.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.332(e)	101
				SPECIAL HANDLING AND RESIDUAL WASTES			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Special handling and residual wastes disposed with prior Department approval, and in accordance with permit and Chapter 273.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.501	102
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Infectious waste disposal restrictions adhered to.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.511(a)-(d)	103
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chemotherapeutic waste disposal restrictions adhered to.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.512	104
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sewage sludge co-disposal and monofill requirements followed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.513	105
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sewage sludge sampling requirements adhered to and sludge meets standards for control of pathogens, vectors, and odors.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.513(c)	106
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Disposal of municipal waste incineration ash in landfill or landfill cell that meets Chapter 273 requirements.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.514(a)	107
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ash residue disposal in dedicated landfill or landfill cell unless co-disposal in accordance with Chapter 273 (including leachability treatment).	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.514(b)	108
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ash residue covered immediately or as approved by the Department.	<input type="checkbox"/>	273.514(c)	109



INSPECTION REPORT COMMENTS

Date of Inspection 01/15/2014 Identification Number 100020

Company/Facility/Site Name IESI PA BETHLEHEM LANDFILL

Comments:

On January 15, 2014, a routine monthly inspection was conducted in the afternoon at IESI PA Bethlehem Landfill (IESI). Also during this inspection, an investigation was conducted as a result of an odor complaint received by the Department on December 31, 2013 at approximately 0902 hrs and on January 14, 2014 at approximately 1915 hrs. Attending the inspection was Walter F. Govern III (this inspector), representing the PA Department of Environmental Protection (Department). Representing IESI PA Bethlehem Landfill (IESI) during this inspection was Mike Shelden, Operations Manager. This inspector also spoke with Sam Donato, PA District Manager by phone during the time of this inspection. During the time of this inspection it was very foggy, 36°F, wind out of the WNW at 1.2 mph. (www.wunderground.com)

On December 20, 2013, Becky Easley was onsite representing the Department. And on January 9, 2014, Susan French and Dylan Evans were onsite representing the Department.

Prior to entering the landfill for the inspection, an odor patrol was conducted along Applebutter Road, throughout Steel City and around the north side of the landfill on Riverside Drive, out to Barron Hill Road and along Skyline Drive. During the time of this inspection this inspector observed no landfill related odors. A copy of this inspector's odor patrol log is attached to this report. No malodors were observed during this inspection. IESI appears to be implementing their Nuisance Minimization and Control Plan as required.

The entrance road to the facility and the access roads to the working face were clean and free of litter and debris. No windblown litter was observed in the trees within the landfills fences. Some windblown litter was observed on the slopes of the landfill during the time of this inspection. Four laborers were observed collecting windblown litter on the slopes of the landfill during the time of this inspection.

The flare was in operation at IESI during the time of this inspection. The flare was burning landfill gas at a temperature of 1653°F with a flow of 1144 scfm. Landfill gas from IESI was being burned at the Bethlehem Renewable Energy (BRE) Plant adjacent the landfill during the time of this inspection.

Construction of the next area of capping is complete. The area being capped is a one acre area at the toe of the slope of Cell C. The topsoil has been applied and the area just needs to be stabilized for the winter.

Cell 4B was the area accepting waste during the time of this inspection. There was one truck dumping at the working face during the time this inspector was observing the working face. One truck was waiting to dump during the time of this inspection. No landfill gas odors were detected during the time of this inspection.

During this site tour, this inspector observed IESI repairing seeps on the southern slope of the landfill by Pumphouse #2. Leachate odors were detected in the area adjacent the seeps. The odors were not getting off-site during the time of this inspection. It appears that IESI is actively managing the issue as per standard operating procedures. No malodors were detected during this inspection. IESI appears to be implementing their Nuisance Minimization and Control Plan as required.

The radiation logs for January to the date of this inspection were reviewed. There were no radiation hits since this inspector's last inspection. Log sheets were reviewed showing that the radiation monitors were detecting hits on known sources. Radiation monitor calibration was last conducted on 06/24/2013. Next calibration is due 06/24/2014.

Daily tonnage reports were observed for January to the date of this inspection. The weight logs appear complete. The maximum daily tonnage observed in January to the date of this inspection was logged on 01/02/2014 at 1,210.8

tons. The overweight report for the month of January logged 8 overweight trucks to the date of this inspection. One of the trucks was over the 3% mark. A copy of the overweight trucks report for January is attached to this report.

IESI submitted a letter to Lower Saucon Township regarding the weight and types of materials that were recycled on January 6, 2014.

IESI ran an advertisement for public drop off at the landfill from January 3rd, 4th, and 5th, 2014 in the Express Times.

Insurance certificates were reviewed and are valid. The certificate expires 01/31/2014.

COMPLAINT INVESTGATIONS

On 12/31/2013 at approx. 0902 hrs: An individual on Johnston Ave., Steel City, Lower Saucon Twp., Northampton County complained about landfill odors at her residence that was allegedly coming from IESI. Sam Donato and Al Schleyer of IESI were notified of the alleged landfill odor detected on Johnston Ave, Steel City. Their immediate response detected no odors related to the landfill. Garbage trucks were observed collecting residents' waste in the area of the complaint. In addition, a burn barrel was observed smoldering on the corner of Schwab and Adams in Steel City. This is approximately one block from Johnston Ave. Mr. Schleyer stated that there was a manure type odor coming from the burn barrel. A copy of correspondence received by the Department regarding the findings of this response is attached to this inspection report. During the time of the complaint, landfill gas was being burned in the flare at 1640°F at a flow of 1025 scfm. The energy plant adjacent IESI was also burning landfill gas at 2082 scfm. Landfill gas was being consumed by the flare and the adjacent energy plant at a total of 3107 scfm during the time of this complaint. IESI appears to be implementing their Nuisance Minimization and Control Plan as required.

On 01/14/2014 at approx. 1915 hrs: An individual detected an odor in the area on Barron Hill Road, Williams Township, Northampton County. The location of the complainants residence is a little over 2.5 miles west of IESI. During the time of the complaint it was 42°F, and raining, wind was out of the south-southwest at approximately 6.9 mph. During the time of the complaint, landfill gas was being burned in the flare at 1625°F at a flow of 1060 scfm. The energy plant adjacent IESI was also burning landfill gas at 2287 scfm. Landfill gas was being consumed by the flare and the adjacent energy plant at a total of 3347 scfm during the time of this complaint. This inspector observed that on 01/15/2014, during an odor patrol, that the residents on Barron Hill Road had their garbage collected. Garbage being placed on the curb for collection the previous night, could potentially explain the source of the odor. IESI appears to be implementing their Nuisance Minimization and Control Plan as required.

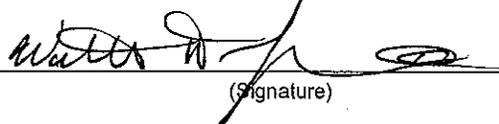
This concludes this inspection report.

This inspection report is notice of the findings of an inspection conducted by a representative of the Department. This report is formal notification of any violations observed during the inspection. Additional notification of violations may be issued concerning either violations noted herein, or other violations identified as a result of review of laboratory analyses or Department records.

This report does not constitute an order or other appealable action of the Department. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to grant or imply immunity from legal action for any violation noted herein.

Signature by the persons interviewed does not necessarily imply concurrence with the findings on this report, but does acknowledge that the person was shown the report or that a copy was left with the person.

Person Interviewed Sent via 1st Class Mail Date 01/23/2014
(Signature)

Inspector  Date 01/23/2014
(Signature)

IESI PA BETHLEHEM LANDFILL
ODOR PATROL SURVEY

Investigator: Walter F. Govers III Date: 01/15/2014
Weather Conditions: Freezing Fog, 35°F, Wind out of South @ 5 mph

SURVEY LOCATION	TIME	ODOR INTENSITY S = Strong M = Moderate SL = Slight N = None	ODOR DURATION P = Persistent I = Intermittent N = None	ODOR DESCRIPTION EG = Rotten Egg LFG = Landfill Gas G = Garbage S = Sewage D = Dredge O = Other (describe)	COMMENTS & OBSERVATIONS
Shinersville Rd	1130	N	N	—	Associated w/ Inspection Report Dated 01/15/2014 eFACTS IO# 2238271
Saucon Ave	1132	SL	I	O	Slight Fruity Smell. Could not determine Source.
Roberts Ave.	1135	N	N	—	
Mixsell Ave	1136	N	N	—	
Adams Ave	1137	SL	I	O	Paint Ops Odors from Big Pete's Auto Repair
Riverside Dr.	1138	SL	I	O	Wood Burning Odor
Motergate Hill Climbs	1139	N	N	—	
Riverside Dr.	1143	N	N	—	
Redington Rd.	1145	N	N	—	
Lower Saucon Rd	1147	N	N	—	
Buttermilk Rd.	1150	N	N	—	
Texas Rd.	1151	N	N	—	
Barron Hill Rd.	1152	N	N	—	Garbage Collection Day on Barron Hill Rd.
Texas Rd	1154	N	N	—	
Buttermilk Rd	1156	N	N	—	
Lower Saucon Rd	1158	N	N	—	
Applebutter Rd	1200	N	N	—	
Storage Facility	1201	N	N	—	

Govern, Walter

From: Allen Schleyer <aschleyer@iesi.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 16, 2014 11:51 AM
To: Govern, Walter
Cc: Sam Donato
Subject: FW: Data 12/31 and 1/14

Wally

Per your request;

IESI Flare data 12-31-13 @ 09:00 Flow 1025 scfm; 1640 F

01/14/14 @ 18:00 flow 1060 scfm; 1625 F

See BRE response below for turbine data.

Al Schleyer
Compliance Manager

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-----Original Message-----

From: Ken Minton [<mailto:kminton@pepcoenergy.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 15, 2014 8:50 PM
To: Allen Schleyer
Subject: Data 12/31 and 1/14

Al,

Here is the data you requested.

12/31 0900
2082 scfm
-67.1 "H2O

1/14 1800
2287 scfm
-72.3 "H2O

Ken Minton
Cell: 484-225-8917
Turbine Plant Operator
Pepco Energy Services
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Govern, Walter

From: Fisher, Dean J
Sent: Tuesday, December 31, 2013 12:01 PM
To: Allen Schleyer - IESI; Sam Donato - IESI; pdeleon@lowersaucontownship.org; manager@lowersaucontownship.org
Cc: 'Chris Taylor' (ctaylor@hanovereng.com); Govern, Walter; Easley, Becky; Schweitzer, Andrew; Aileo, Maribeth
Subject: FW: Odor Complaint
Attachments: SC burn barrel 12-31-13.jpg

Gentlemen: Thank you for responding. Given the wind speed/direction and the odor description as provided by the complainant, it appears that this burn barrel combined with trash pick-up could be the source(s).

Ms. deLeon & Mr. Cahalan: The jurisdiction for this source appears to be under Lower Saucon Township's ordinances. Investigation of this open burning activity (and any applicable enforcement) would fall to Lower Saucon Township.

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From: Allen Schleyer [<mailto:aschleyer@iesi.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, December 31, 2013 11:42 AM
To: Fisher, Dean J; Sam Donato
Cc: ctaylor@hanovereng.com; pdeleon@lowersaucontownship.org; Govern, Walter; Easley, Becky; Schweitzer, Andrew; Aileo, Maribeth
Subject: RE: Odor Complaint

Dean

Sam Donato and I responded to the odor complaint area and observed the following;

Two rear loader refuse trucks were on route picking up residential garbage in and around the area. One burn barrel was observed (see attached photo) and a manure type odor was detected from the burn barrel. This is located at the corner of Schwab and Adams, just about one block from Johnston and Fritz. Several wood burning stoves throughout the area were in use.

No other odors were detected throughout the rest of Steel City and down to the hill climb area.

Happy New Year everybody...

Al Schleyer
Compliance Manager

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From: Fisher, Dean J [<mailto:defisher@pa.gov>]
Sent: Tuesday, December 31, 2013 9:49 AM
To: Allen Schleyer; Sam Donato
Cc: 'Chris Taylor' (ctaylor@hanovereng.com); pdeleon@lowersaucontownship.org; Govern, Walter; Easley, Becky; Schweitzer, Andrew; Aileo, Maribeth
Subject: Odor Complaint

Gentlemen:

We have an odor complaint of a "sweet pungent" odor along Johnston Ave (Between Fritz & Adams) in Steel City. Would you please investigate?

Thank You

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