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## TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

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Mr. Ted Fasting
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Re: Comments to First Quarter 2007 Monitoring Data Transmittal dated March 9, 2007, Former Cameron Iron Works - Katy Road Facility, 1000 Silber Road, Houston, Harris County, TX; Voluntary Cleanup Program (VCP) No. 221, RN101474880, CN600374821

Dear Mr. Fasting:

The VCP of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has reviewed the above referenced submittal. Based on the requirements of the October 25, 2004 and December 30, 2004 TCEQ letters concerning the method that will be used to determine when more frequent monitoring or remedial response actions will be required, the TCEQ has the following comments. No response to these comments is required.

- 1. The TCEQ agrees with the continued quarterly monitoring of chemical of concern (COC) concentrations and the proposed in-situ chemical oxidation as the active response action to address the residential groundwater protective concentration level (PCL) exceedences at monitoring wells MW-78, MW-96 and MW-126. The plan for in-situ chemical oxidation at these wells will be presented in a meeting with the TCEQ scheduled for April 13, 2007.
- 2. The TCEQ agrees with the continued quarterly monitoring of COC concentrations in groundwater at monitoring wells MW-70, MW-93 and MW125 as the remedial response action, and the evaluation of the presence of permanganate in injection wells (IW-47 through IW-52) from prior injection events in the area of MW-93 and MW-125. If no permanganate is present and the COC concentrations at MW-93 and MW125 exceed the groundwater PCLs, additional permanganate injections will be conducted

Should you need additional information or wish to discuss these comments, please call me at (512) 239-3044.

Sincerely,

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