

managing risk with responsibility

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June 6, 2007	Signature on File				
TO:	Mr. Robert Crawford, Principal Atlantic Technical Center				
FROM:	Edward See, Project Manager Risk Management Department				
SUBJECT:	Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Assessment FISH 245, 245A and 245B				

On June 5, 2007 I conducted an assessment of FISH 245, 245A and 245B at **Atlantic Technical Center**. This evaluation included observations of the flooring system, ceiling tiles, false ceiling plenum, environmental surfaces, interior and exterior walls, and the accessible ventilation equipment. Additionally, environmental parameter measurements were taken to include temperature, relative humidity, and carbon dioxide. The detailed findings, along with the recommended corrective action can be found on the attached IAQ Assessment Worksheets.

Generally, the IAQ Assessment did not identify any existing conditions significantly impacting IAQ and thereby presenting immediate health and safety concerns to building occupants. However, due to individual sensitivities and predisposing health factors, it is possible that some building occupants may elicit a health response to agents and / or conditions identified during the evaluation. Therefore, to further improve IAQ, prevent development of future IAQ-related problems, and to reduce the potential for IAQ-related complaints by building occupants, the IAQ Assessment Team recommends appropriate follow up of each item identified and listed in the attached evaluation.

Please ensure that your Head Facilities Serviceperson receives a copy of this correspondence so that the recommendations requiring their attention can be addressed. Within two weeks a representative from the Custodial/Grounds Department will conduct a follow-up visit to ensure that all issues have been appropriately addressed.

Should any questions arise, or if the current concerns continue after the attached recommendations have been addressed, please feel free to contact me at 754-321-3200.

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			IAQ Ass	sessment	Location	Number	2221	
		Atlantic Techn	nical Center		Evaluation	n Requested	June	4, 2007
Time of Day	10:30 am				Eva	aluation Date	June	5, 2007
Outdoor Cond	itions Te	mperature	85.8	Relative Humidity	66.6	Ambie	nt CO2	515
Fish	Temperature	Range Re	elative Humidity	Range	CO2	Ran	nge #	Occupants
245	70.2	72 - 78	63.2	30% - 60%	741	Max 700	> Ambient	3
Noticeable Oc	dor No	d	Visible water amage / staining	Visible micro ? growth?	-	Amount of ma affected	terial	
Ceiling Type	Steel Pa	anel	Νο	No			None	
Wall Type	Drywa	all	No	No			None	
Flooring	Concre	ete	No	No			None	
	Clean	Minor Dus / Debris	t Needs Cleaning		Correcti	ve Action Re	equired	
Ceiling	Yes	No	No					
Walls	Yes	No	No					
Flooring	Yes	No	No					
HVAC Supply	Grills Yes	No	No					
HVAC Return	Grills Yes	No	No					
Ceiling at Sup Grills	oply Yes	No	No					
Surfaces in R	oom Yes	No	No					

Observations

Findings: (lab)

- Room is being utilized for electrical lab and plumbing apprenticeship (nights)
- Non-approved chemicals in room 13 ounce can of Kilz due to ongoing room renovations
- HFSP advised that ceiling was recently painted
- Temperature was low and humidity was slightly elevated at the time of the assessment

-Recommendations:

Site Based Maintenance:

Remove non-approved chemicals from room and ensure that all chemicals stored or used in the room are District approved
Adjust the thermostat to increase the temperature. Continue to monitor condition and initiate a work order for Physical Plant
Operations to evaluate the HVAC system if temperature and humidity does not improve.

- Continue to monitor this location for any signs of microbial growth as well as dust and debris accumulation and clean as appropriate

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Fish	Temperature F	Range Relat	tive Humidity	Range	CO2	Ran	ige #	Occupants
245A	69.7 7	2 - 78	64.5	30% - 60%	732	Max 700	> Ambient	t 1
Noticeable Oc	lor No		ïsible water age / staining	Visible mic growtl		Amount of ma affected	terial	
Ceiling Type	2 x 3 Lay	In	No	No]		None	
Wall Type	Drywall		No	No]		None	
Flooring	Vinyl		No	No]		None	
	Clean	Minor Dust / Debris	Needs Cleaning		Correc	ctive Action Re	equired	
Ceiling	Yes	Νο	No					
Walls	Yes	No	No					
Flooring	Yes	Νο	No					
HVAC Supply	Grills No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disi	infectant	
HVAC Return	Grills Yes	Νο	No					
Ceiling at Sup Grills	ply Yes	Νο	No					
Surfaces in Ro	oom Yes	No	No					

Observations

Findings: (classroom)

- Dust and debris on HVAC supply grills

- Temperature was low and humidity was slightly elevated at the time of the assessment

-Recommendations:

Site Based Maintenance:

- Clean HVAC supply grills with Wexcide disinfectant solution

- Adjust the thermostat to increase the temperature. Continue to monitor condition and initiate a work order for Physical Plant Operations to evaluate the HVAC system if temperature and humidity does not improve.

- Continue to monitor this location for any signs of microbial growth as well as dust and debris accumulation and clean as appropriate

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245B	71.1 7 2	2 - 78	62.7	30% - 60%	747	Max 700	> Ambient	1
Noticeable Odd	or No		isible water age / staining	Visible micr ? growth	-	Amount of ma affected	terial	
Ceiling Type	2 x 4 Lay	n	No	No			None	
Wall Type	Drywall		No	No			None	
Flooring	Vinyl		No	No			None	
	Clean	Minor Dust / Debris	Needs Cleaning		Correcti	ve Action Re	equired	
Ceiling	Yes	No	No					
Walls	Yes	Νο	No					
Flooring	No	Yes	Yes		Clea	n and sanitiz	ze	
HVAC Supply G	Grills Yes	No	No					
HVAC Return G	Grills					N/A		
Ceiling at Supp Grills	oly Yes	No	No					
Surfaces in Ro	om No	Yes	Yes		Clean	as appropri	ate	

Observations

Findings: (office)

- Dust and debris on floor

- Slight dust accumulation was observed on environmental surfaces due to clutter at the time of assessment

- Temperature was low and humidity was slightly elevated at the time of the assessment

- Non-approved chemicals in room - deodorizing cream cleaner, mineral oil and paint

-Recommendations:

Site Based Maintenance:

- Clean and sanitize floor

- Thoroughly clean environmental surfaces and encourage occupant to reduce clutter to assist with dusting efforts

- Remove non-approved chemicals from room and ensure that all chemicals stored or used in the room are District approved - Adjust the thermostat to increase the temperature. Continue to monitor condition and initiate a work order for Physical Plant Operations to evaluate the HVAC system if temperature and humidity does not improve.

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