SECTION 13282 - REMOVAL OF SEDIMENT FROM LABORATORY SINKS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1. Description: This section specifies administrative and procedural requirements for work that involves hazardous materials.

2. References

   2.1. Minneapolis Pollution Control Regulation, Chapter 7045 - Hazardous Waste Management

   2.2. Hennepin County Hazardous Waste Ordinance, 2.04 - Standards for the Management of Special Hazardous Waste

PART 2 - EXECUTION

1. Laboratory Sink Traps: Laboratory sink p-traps are presumed to contain mercury as a result of thermometer breakage. The university shall provide a collection container at a predetermined, secure area within the project site. Empty all laboratory sink traps into the collection container, as they are removed. Request these containers through the owner’s representative five working days in advance. Notify the owner’s representative when all traps have been drained into the container. The university shall collect the container from the predetermined area within the project site and dispose of the container and its contents.

End of Appendix K - Section 13282 - Removal of Sediment from Laboratory Sinks
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