



January 10, 2012

Lab ID: 154879

Manisha Sulakhe
Orange County Public Health Laboratory
1729 W. 17th Street
Santa Ana, CA 92706

Dear Manisha Sulakhe:

Please find attached a revised scope page reflecting the suspension of Orange County Public Health Laboratory for Paint FoT. AIHA-LAP, LLC records indicate that Orange County Public Health Laboratory had a non-proficient rating in the Environmental Lead Proficiency Analytical Testing (ELPAT) Program at the close of round 77.

In order for the suspension to be removed, proficiency must be re-established. A laboratory is rated proficient for the applicable FoT/Method(s) if there are no more than twenty-five (25) percent cumulative outliers reported in the last four (4) consecutive PT rounds or there are no outliers reported in the last two (2) consecutive PT rounds. Once proficiency is re-established you will be sent an updated scope page.

Until you regain proficiency, please remember Policy 2A.5.10.3 which states "*Test results not covered under AIHA-LAP, LLC accreditation shall be clearly identified on the final test report*" for those FoTs that are not proficient.

If you have any questions, please contact Olena Bulgakova, Laboratory Accreditation Specialist, at (703) 846-0792.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Angela Oler'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Angela Oler
Accreditation Manager, AIHA LAP, LLC



AIHA Laboratory Accreditation Programs, LLC

acknowledges that

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along with all premises from which key activities are performed, as listed above, has fulfilled the requirements of the AIHA Laboratory Accreditation Programs (AIHA-LAP), LLC accreditation to the ISO/IEC 17025:2005 international standard, General Requirements for the Competence of Testing and Calibration Laboratories in the following:

LABORATORY ACCREDITATION PROGRAMS

- INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE
 - ENVIRONMENTAL LEAD
 - ENVIRONMENTAL MICROBIOLOGY
 - FOOD
- Accreditation Expires: 10/01/2013
- Accreditation Expires:
- Accreditation Expires:

Specific Field(s) of Testing (FoT)/Method(s) within each Accreditation Program for which the above named laboratory maintains accreditation is outlined on the attached Scope of Accreditation. Continued accreditation is contingent upon successful on-going compliance with ISO/IEC 17025:2005 and AIHA-LAP, LLC requirements. This certificate is not valid without the attached Scope of Accreditation. Please review the AIHA-LAP, LLC website (www.aihaaccreditedlabs.org) for the most current Scope.

Christine Powell

Christine Powell
Chairperson, Analytical Accreditation Board

Cheryl O. Morton

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Director, AIHA Laboratory Accreditation Programs, LLC



AIHA Laboratory Accreditation Programs, LLC SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION

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The laboratory is approved for those specific field(s) of testing/methods listed in the table below. Clients are urged to verify the laboratory's current accreditation status for the particular field(s) of testing/Methods, since these can change due to proficiency status, suspension and/or revocation. A complete listing of currently accredited Environmental Lead laboratories is available on the AIHA-LAP, LLC website at: <http://www.aihaaccreditedlabs.org>

The EPA recognizes the AIHA-LAP, LLC ELLAP program as meeting the requirements of the National Lead Laboratory Accreditation Program (NLLAP) established under Title X of the Residential Lead-Based Paint Hazard Reduction Act of 1992 and includes paint, soil and dust wipe analysis. Air analysis is not included as part of the NLLAP.

Environmental Lead Laboratory Accreditation Program (ELLAP)

Initial Accreditation Date: 03/01/2004

Field of Testing (FoT)	Method	Method Description <i>(for internal methods only)</i>
Soil	EPA SW-846 3050B	
	EPA SW-846 7420	
Settled Dust by Wipe	NIOSH 7082 (Mod)	

The laboratory participates in the following AIHA-LAP, LLC-approved proficiency testing programs:

- Paint
- Soil
- Settled Dust by Wipe
- Airborne Dust