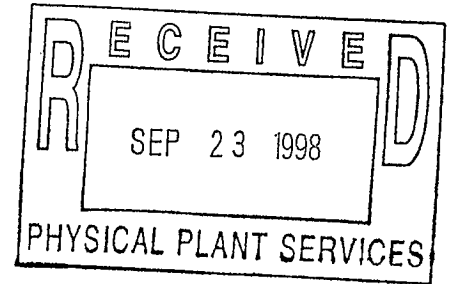




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Re: SCDMH - Babcock Bldg  
2100 Bull Street, Columbia, SC, Richland County  
Facility ID #17258  
Report Received: August 30, 1998

Dear Mr. Granade:

The Division of Underground Storage Tank (UST) Management of the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (SCDHEC) has reviewed the above referenced report and existing department file for the referenced facility, which previously contained a regulated underground storage tank system. Requirements for the management of UST systems are established by the State Underground Petroleum Environmental Response Bank (SUPERB) Act and South Carolina Underground Storage Tank Control Regulations (SCUSTCR) R.61-92.

The report documents results of an environmental assessment performed during May 18, 1998. Based on the information submitted to date, the SCDHEC does not require further facility assessment or rehabilitation. However, should any contamination become evident which could be attributed to the UST system, this office can, under authority established by the SUPERB Act and SCUSTCR, require investigative and/or remedial activities.

**The decision for requiring no further assessment pertains only to the referenced regulated UST system and is based solely on the information provided in the report.**

This correspondence does not exempt the UST system from any additional requirements of the SCUSTCR or the SUPERB Act.

On all correspondence concerning this facility, please reference the facility ID number. If you have any questions or comments, feel free to call Douglas C. Pasley, Jr. at 803-734-5331.

Sincerely,

Mark Berenbrok, Manager  
Regulatory Assistance Section  
UST Regulatory Compliance Branch  
Division of Underground Storage Tank Management

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