

Permit No. PPC/A/1022412 Dargavel EfW facility
Scotgen (Dumfries) Ltd

Incident Report

Incident notified by phone Y/N
Confirmed by 1st class post/Fax Y/N
Report complete here Y/N

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Nature of the incident

Recording failure on CEMs
HCl 30 minute breach on Stream 1
Daily Avg NOx breach on Stream 2

Time and duration of the incident

23/09/10 22:30-03:30
23/09/10 03:30-04:00 for HCl
23/09/10 for daily avg breach

Receiving environmental medium or media

Atmosphere

Estimate of quantity and composition

Detailed by supplied tables

Measures taken to prevent or minimise emission

Abatement controls, oxygen control and temperature control, temperature & Oxygen compliant

Report of the Investigation

Refer to attached documentation
DC coms error occurred once again both CEMs computers froze, the program install on process computer to highlight this issue after 30 minutes of static data failed (small flicker so didn't enact) Bi-carb dosing not dosing correctly along with actual emissions to prevent and reduce acid gas emissions

Steps taken to bring the incident to an end

Operator checked CEMs computer ~03:30 and reset PC and the CEMs began recording again.
Bicarb dosing went to the adequate rate to reduce the acid gas emission to acceptable levels.

Proposals for remediation

Find cause of the DC coms issue and repair if possible, Modify the 30 minute check to make sure it works. Operators to check the CEMs computer on a hourly basis.

Proposals for preventing a repetition

Find cause of the DC coms issue and repair if possible, Modify the 30 minute check to make sure it works. Operators to check the CEMs computer on a hourly basis.

END

Disclaimer: I hope all the information supplied is suitable if you could please get in touch within 14 working days if requiring further information