

May 16, 2022

The El Group 2101 Gateway Centre Blvd., Ste. 200 Morrisville, NC 27560

CLIENT PROJECT: APP-10600, INSP-0012969, IHMO220083.00

CEI LAB CODE: A223635

Dear Customer:

Enclosed are asbestos analysis results for PLM Bulk samples received at our laboratory on May 11, 2022. The samples were analyzed for asbestos using polarizing light microscopy (PLM) per the EPA 600 Method.

Sample results containing >1% asbestos are considered asbestos-containing materials (ACMs) per EPA regulatory requirements. The detection limit for the EPA 600 Method is <1% asbestos by weight as determined by visual estimation.

Thank you for your business and we look forward to continuing good relations.

Kind Regards,

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ASBESTOS ANALYTICAL REPORT By: Polarized Light Microscopy

Prepared for

The El Group

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TEST METHOD: EPA 600 / R93 / 116 and EPA 600 / M4-82 / 020

REPORT DATE: 05/16/22

TOTAL SAMPLES ANALYZED: 11

SAMPLES > 1% ASBESTOS:



Asbestos Report Summary

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| Client ID | Layer | Lab ID | Color | Sample Description | ASBESTOS % |
|-----------|-------|-------------|-----------------|--------------------|---------------|
| 001A | | A223635.01 | Off-white | Textured Ceiling | None Detected |
| 001B | | A223635.02 | Off-white | Textured Ceiling | None Detected |
| 001C | | A223635.03 | Off-white | Textured Ceiling | None Detected |
| 002A | | A223635.04 | Off-white | Joint Compound | None Detected |
| 002B | | A223635.05 | Off-white | Joint Compound | None Detected |
| 003A | | A223635.06A | Off-white,Gray | Sheet Vinyl | None Detected |
| 003A | | A223635.06B | Tan | Mastic | None Detected |
| 003B | | A223635.07A | Off-white,Gray | Sheet Vinyl | None Detected |
| 003B | | A223635.07B | Tan | Mastic | None Detected |
| 004A | | A223635.08 | Brown,Off-white | e Sheet Vinyl | None Detected |
| 004B | | A223635.09 | Brown,Off-white | e Sheet Vinyl | None Detected |
| 005A | | A223635.10 | Black,Gray | Roof Shingle | None Detected |
| 005B | | A223635.11 | Black,Gray | Roof Shingle | None Detected |



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ASBESTOS BULK PLM, EPA 600 METHOD

| Client ID | Lab Description Textured Ceiling | Lab | NON-ASBESTOS COMPONENTS | | | | ASBESTOS |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|---------------|
| Lab ID | | Attributes | Fibrous | | Non-Fibrous | | % |
| 001A A223635.01 | | Heterogeneous Off-white Non-fibrous Bound | <1% | Cellulose | 75% 15% 10% | Calc Carb Foam Paint | None Detected |
| 001B A223635.02 | Textured Ceiling | Heterogeneous Off-white Non-fibrous Bound | <1% | Cellulose | 75% 15% 10% | Calc Carb Foam Paint | None Detected |
| 001C A223635.03 | Textured Ceiling | Heterogeneous Off-white Non-fibrous Bound | <1% | Cellulose | 75% 15% 10% | Calc Carb Foam Paint | None Detected |
| 002A A223635.04 | Joint Compound | Heterogeneous Off-white Non-fibrous Bound | <1% | Cellulose | 75% 15% 10% | Calc Carb Binder Paint | None Detected |
| No gypsum wa | allboard present. | | | | | | |
| 002B A223635.05 | Joint Compound | Heterogeneous Off-white Non-fibrous Bound | <1% | Cellulose | 75% 15% 10% | Calc Carb Binder Paint | None Detected |
| No gypsum wa | allboard present. | | | | | | |
| 003A A223635.06A | Sheet Vinyl | Heterogeneous Off-white,Gray Fibrous Bound | 25% 10% | Cellulose Fiberglass | 50% 15% | Vinyl Binder | None Detected |
| 003A A223635.06B | Mastic | Homogeneous Tan Fibrous Bound | 3% <1% | Cellulose Fiberglass | 97% | Mastic | None Detected |



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|----------------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|---------------|
| Lab ID | | Attributes | Fibrous | | Non-F | ibrous | % |
| 003B A223635.07A | Sheet Vinyl | Heterogeneous Off-white,Gray Fibrous Bound | 25% 10% | Cellulose Fiberglass | 50% 15% | Vinyl Binder | None Detected |
| 003B A223635.07B | Mastic | Homogeneous Tan Fibrous Bound | 3% <1% | Cellulose Fiberglass | 97% | Mastic | None Detected |
| 004A A223635.08 | Sheet Vinyl | Homogeneous Brown,Off-white Fibrous Bound | <1% 10% | Cellulose Fiberglass | 90% | Vinyl | None Detected |
| 004B A223635.09 | Sheet Vinyl | Homogeneous Brown,Off-white Fibrous Bound | <1% 10% | Cellulose Fiberglass | 90% | Vinyl | None Detected |
| 005A A223635.10 | Roof Shingle | Heterogeneous Black,Gray Fibrous Bound | <1% 25% | Cellulose Fiberglass | 25% 40% 10% | Tar Gravel Silicates | None Detected |
| 005B A223635.11 | Roof Shingle | Heterogeneous Black,Gray Fibrous Bound | <1% 25% | Cellulose Fiberglass | 25% 40% 10% | Tar Gravel Silicates | None Detected |



LEGEND: Non-Anth = Non-Asbestiform Anthophyllite

Non-Trem = Non-Asbestiform Tremolite

Calc Carb = Calcium Carbonate

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REPORTING LIMIT: <1% by visual estimation

REPORTING LIMIT FOR POINT COUNTS: 0.25% by 400 Points or 0.1% by 1,000 Points

REGULATORY LIMIT: >1% by weight

Due to the limitations of the EPA 600 method, nonfriable organically bound materials (NOBs) such as vinyl floor tiles can be difficult to analyze via polarized light microscopy (PLM). EPA recommends that all NOBs analyzed by PLM, and found not to contain asbestos, be further analyzed by Transmission Electron Microscopy (TEM). Please note that PLM analysis of dust and soil samples for asbestos is not covered under NVLAP accreditation. *Estimated measurement of uncertainty is available on request.*

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Information provided by customer includes customer sample ID and sample description.

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