**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration**

**Current List of Laboratories and Instrumented Initial Testing Facilities Which Meet Minimum Standards To Engage in Urine Drug Testing for Federal Agencies**

**AGENCY:** Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) notifies Federal agencies of the Laboratories and Instrumented Initial Testing Facilities (IITF) currently certified to meet the standards of the Mandatory Guidelines for Federal Workplace Drug Testing Programs (Mandatory Guidelines). The Mandatory Guidelines were initially published in the Federal Register on April 11, 1988 (53 FR 11970), and subsequently revised in the Federal Register on June 9, 1994 (59 FR 29908); September 30, 1997 (62 FR 51118); April 13, 2004 (69 FR 19644); November 25, 2008 (73 FR 71859); December 10, 2008 (73 FR 75122); and on April 30, 2010 (75 FR 22809).

A notice listing all currently certified Laboratories and Instrumented Initial Testing Facilities (IITF) is published in the Federal Register during the first week of each month. If any Laboratory/IITF’s certification is suspended or revoked, the Laboratory/IITF will be omitted from subsequent lists until such time as it is restored to full certification under the Mandatory Guidelines.

If any Laboratory/IITF has withdrawn from the HHS Federal Laboratory Certification Program (NLCP) during the past month, it will be listed at the end and will be omitted from the monthly listing thereafter.

This notice is also available on the Internet at [http://www.workplace.samhsa.gov](http://www.workplace.samhsa.gov) and [http://www.drugfreeworkplace.gov](http://www.drugfreeworkplace.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mrs. Giselle Hersh, Division of Workplace Programs, SAMHSA/CSAP, Room 2–1042, One Choke Cherry Road, Rockville, Maryland 20857; 240–276–2600 (voice); 240–276–2610 (fax).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Mandatory Guidelines were initially developed in accordance with Executive Order 12564 and section 503 of Public Law 100–71. The “Mandatory Guidelines for Federal Workplace Drug Testing Programs”, as amended in the revisions listed above, requires (or sets) strict standards that Laboratories and Instrumented Initial Testing Facilities (IITF) must meet in order to conduct drug and specimen validity tests on urine specimens for Federal agencies.

To become certified, an applicant Laboratory/IITF must undergo three rounds of performance testing plus an on-site inspection. To maintain that certification, a Laboratory/IITF must participate in a quarterly performance testing program plus undergo periodic, on-site inspections.

Laboratories and Instrumented Initial Testing Facilities (IITF) in the applicant stage of certification are not to be considered as meeting the minimum requirements described in the HHS Mandatory Guidelines. A Laboratory/IITF must have its letter of certification from HHS/SAMHSA (formerly: HHS/NIDA) which attests that it has met minimum standards.

In accordance with the Mandatory Guidelines dated November 25, 2008 (73 FR 71858), the following Laboratories and Instrumented Initial Testing Facilities (IITF) meet the minimum standards to conduct drug and specimen validity tests on urine specimens:

**Instrumented Initial Testing Facilities (IITF)**

**Laboratories**

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<tr>
<td>ACM Medical Laboratory, Inc.</td>
<td>106 Elm Grove Park, Rochester, NY 14624</td>
<td>501–490–5726/800–833–3984</td>
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<tr>
<td>Advanced Toxicology Network</td>
<td>3560 Air Center Cove, Suite 101, Memphis, TN</td>
<td>901–794–5770/888–290–1150</td>
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<tr>
<td>Aegis Analytical Laboratories, Inc.</td>
<td>345 Hill Ave., Nashville, TN 37210</td>
<td>615–255–2400/Formerly: Aegis Sciences Corporation</td>
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<tr>
<td>Alere Toxicology Services, Inc.</td>
<td>1111 Newton St., Gretna, LA 70053</td>
<td>504–361–8998/Formerly: Aegis Analytical Laboratories, Inc.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Alere Toxicology Services, Inc.</td>
<td>450 Southlake Blvd., Richmond, VA 23263</td>
<td>804–378–9130/Formerly: Kroll Laboratory Specialists, Inc.</td>
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<tr>
<td>MetroLab-Legacy Laboratory Services, Inc.</td>
<td>69 First Ave., Raritan, NJ 08869</td>
<td>908–526–2400/Formerly: LabCorp Occupational Testing Services, Inc.</td>
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<td>Maxxam Analytics, Inc.</td>
<td>6740 Campobello Road, Mississauga, ON, Canada</td>
<td>72916-615-875-5700/Formerly: Maxxam Analytics Inc.</td>
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<td>MetroITox Laboratories, Inc.</td>
<td>402 W. County Road D, St. Paul, MN 55112</td>
<td>651–363–7466/800–832–3244/MetroLab-Legacy Laboratory Services, Inc.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Minneapolis Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Forensic Toxicology</td>
<td>1225 NE 2nd Ave., Portland, OR 97232, 503–413–5295/800–950–5295</td>
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(Formerly: Forensic Toxicology Laboratory Baptist Medical Center). The Clinical Reference Lab, 6843 Quivira Road, Lenexa, KS 66215–2802, 800–445–6917.

(Formerly: LabCorp Occupational Testing Services, Inc., CompuChem Laboratories, Inc.; CompuChem Laboratories, Inc., A Subsidiary of Roche Biomedical Laboratory; Roche CompuChem Laboratories, Inc., A Member of the Roche Group).
Fort George G. Meade, MD 20755–5235, 301–677–7085.

The following laboratory is voluntarily withdrawing from the National Laboratory Certification Program, effective 30 June 2011:


* The Standards Council of Canada (SCC) voted to end its Laboratory Accreditation Program for Substance Abuse (LAPSA) effective May 12, 1998. Laboratories certified through that program were accredited to conduct forensic urine drug testing as required by U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) regulations. As of that date, the certification of those accredited Canadian laboratories will continue under DOT authority. The responsibility for conducting quarterly performance testing plus periodic on-site inspections of those LAPSA-accredited laboratories was transferred to the U.S. HHS, with the HHS’ NLCP contractor continuing to have an active role in the performance testing and laboratory inspection processes. Other Canadian laboratories wishing to be considered for the NLCP may apply directly to the NLCP contractor just as U.S. laboratories do.

Upon finding a Canadian laboratory to be qualified, HHS will recommend that DOT certify the laboratory (Federal Register, July 16, 1996) as meeting the minimum standards of the Mandatory Guidelines published in the Federal Register on April 30, 2010 (75 FR 22809). After receiving DOT certification, the laboratory will be included in the monthly list of HHS-certified laboratories and participate in the NLCP certification maintenance program.

Dated: July 6, 2011.

Kathleen G. Milenkovic, Acting Director, Office of Management, Technology, and Operations, SAMHSA.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement

[Docket No. BOEM–2011–0053]

Commercial Wind Lease Issuance and Site Characterization Activities on the Atlantic Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Offshore New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, and Virginia

AGENCY: Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement (BOEMRE), Interior.

ACTION: Notice of the availability of an environmental assessment.

SUMMARY: BOEMRE has prepared a draft environmental assessment (EA) considering the environmental impacts and socioeconomic effects of issuing renewable energy leases (which includes reasonably foreseeable site characterization activities—geophysical, geotechnical, archeological, and biological surveys—on those leases) in the previously identified Wind Energy Areas (WEAs) offshore New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, and Virginia. The draft EA also considers the reasonably foreseeable environmental impacts and socioeconomic effects associated with the approval of assessment activities (including the installation and operation of meteorological towers and buoys) on the leases that may be issued.

The purpose of this notice is to inform the public of the availability of the draft EA for review and comment. Public comments on the draft EA will be considered in the preparation of the final EA and determination of whether a Finding of No Significant Impact would be appropriate, or whether an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) would need to be prepared. The draft EA can be accessed online at: http://www.boemre.gov/offshore/RenewableEnergy/SmartFromTheStart.htm.

Authority: This Notice of Availability (NOA) of an EA is published pursuant to 43 CFR 46.305.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On November 23, 2010, Secretary of the Interior Ken Salazar announced the "Smart from the Start" renewable energy initiative to accelerate the responsible development of renewable energy resources on the Atlantic OCS. One of the focuses of the initiative is the