

SUMMARY

TNI CHEMISTRY EXPERT COMMITTEE MEETING

April 2, 2025

The Chemistry Expert Committee (CEC) met Wednesday, April 2, 2025, at 2:00 PM ET. The meeting was conducted using Microsoft Teams. The meeting was recorded, and the recording will be deleted after the preparation of the meeting minutes. Chair Michelle Wade conducted the meeting.

Roll Call

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| Joseph Manzella, OCSD (Lab) | Present |
| Nicole Cairns, NYS DOH (Lab) | Present |
| Melissa Jackson, OR ELAB (AB) | Present |
| Calista Daigle, Pace (Lab) | Absent |
| Tony Francis, Saw Environmental (Other)- Vice Chair | Absent |
| Durant Maske, Southern Companies (Lab) | Present |
| Stephanie Rippeon, A2LA (AB) | Present |
| Donaciano Cantu, Red River Scientific (other) | Present |
| Nevein Narouz, City of St. Petersburg, FL | Present |
| Anand Mudambi, US EPA | Present |
| Denice Johnson, NEORSD (Lab) | Absent |
| Ali Boren, State of Vermont (AB) | Present |
| Joann Slavin, NYSDOH (AB) | Absent |
| Chad Stoike, ALS Global (Lab) | Absent |
| Michelle Wade, Pace Analytical Services (Lab)- Chair | Present |
| Robert Wyeth, Program Administrator | Present |

A quorum was present. The meeting continued as per the attached agenda.

Associate members present were Michelle Anguiano, Jeanette Tang, Shayne Cole, Peter Coral, Charles Faulk, Pavel Grunwald, Marie Wu, Theresa Johnson, Mark Vanderwarker, Zaharoula Cook, Fida Kasad, Brian Neal, Kathleen Mitchell, Homer Youngblood, Amy Pollard, and Debbie Bond.,

Approval/Modification of the Agenda

The agenda for the April meeting was previously presented (Attachment 1). The agenda was approved by unanimous consent with one change to address New/Old Business prior to continuing review of EL V1M.

Review and Approval of March Minutes

A draft of minutes from the March 2025 meeting was previously provided. After review, the minutes were unanimously approved following a motion by Don Cantu and a second by Joe Manzella. The approved March minutes will be forwarded to William for posting.

SIR Review/Status and Non-Valid SIR

The CEC received communications from the LASEC/AC regarding the committee's previous response to SIR 427. The LASEC/AC recommended some specific language to present in the response. After review the committee agreed to the suggested language. The changes were formally approved following a motion by Anand and a second by Joe and a unanimous vote of the committee. Michelle will edit our previous response and submit said change to the LASEC/AC. A copy of said revised response is attached below.



SIR 427 Chemistry
Response 2025 Revised

Michelle then presented 3 Non-Valid SIR (SIR 505, 509 and 511) that deal with DoC and/or closing calibration verification. No response is required by the CEC for non-valid SIR but the committee will review these comments as the DS is developed further to ascertain whether some clarifications might be appropriate.

New/Old Business

In order for the CEC to finish a revised DS prior to the August meeting of TNI, Michelle requested the committee to consider twice monthly meetings. The committee members present agreed and after discussion selected Tuesday April 22, 2025, at 1:00 PM ET as the second April monthly meeting. Bob will communicate this date and time to all members. During that 4/22/2025 meeting an effort will be made to establish a "routine" day and time for these 2nd monthly meetings.

Continuation of overall EL V1M4 review and preparation of DS

Michelle led the continuing discussion of proposed changes to EL V1M4 beginning at the section on Quality Control, Positive Control – LCS (§ 7.2.2). The committee continued to review and word-smith the current document; changes discussed and accepted by the attendees are presented in the document presented below.



V1M4 Combined
Revisions Draft April 2

The next meeting will continue with review and comment on the DS on § 7.2.3.3.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:35 PM ET. The next scheduled meeting of the CEC utilizing Microsoft Teams will be held on Tuesday April 22, 2025, at 1:00 PM ET.

Attachment 1

Chemistry Expert Committee Meeting

April 2, 2025; 2:00 PM ET

Agenda

Michelle Wade, Chair
Tony Francis, Vice-Chair

1. Roll call
 2. Approval/modifications of agenda
 3. SIR Review (SIR 427) and Non-valid SIR
 4. Continuation of overall EL V1M4 review and preparation of DS
 5. Meeting Schedule
 6. New/old business
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