

## **SUMMARY**

### **TNI CHEMISTRY EXPERT COMMITTEE MEETING**

### **December 3, 2025**

The Chemistry Expert Committee (CEC) met Wednesday, December 3, 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. In the absence of the Chair and Vice-Chair, the Program Administrator led the meeting.

#### **Roll Call**

Joseph Manzella, OCSD (Lab)	Absent
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, Retired US EPA	Absent
Denice Johnson, NEORSD (Lab)	Present
Ali Boren, State of Vermont (AB)	Present
Joann Slavin, NYSDOH (AB)	Absent
Chad Stoike, ALS Global (Lab)	Present
Michelle Wade, Wade Consulting (Other)- Chair	Absent
Robert Wyeth, Program Administrator	Present

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

The associate members present were Ashley Roberts, Ashley Pierce, Ryan Compton, Kevin Sudds, Antoine Chamsi, Charles Faulk, Shayne Cole, Paula Blaze, Kevin Sudds, Joseph Anderson, Cliff Baldrige, Pavel Grunwald, Crystal Scheaff, Debbie Bond, Fida Kased, Heidi Ferrell, Christian Abalos and Carl Kircher

#### **Approval/Modification of the Agenda**

The agenda for the December 3, 2025 meeting is presented in Attachment 1. The agenda was approved by unanimous consent.

#### **Review of November 7, 2025 Minutes**

The November 7, 2025 draft minutes were previously presented for review. After minor editorial corrections these minutes were motioned for approval by Donaciano and seconded by Durant. The minutes were unanimously approved and will be forwarded to William for posting.



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## Review of Comments (R2C)

The comment period for EL V1M4 Draft Standard (DS) was extended to 120 at the request of the AC. The comment period closes on December 13, 2025. All comments received prior to this date have been and will continue to be recorded on the Response to Comments form (R2C) and will be addressed by the committee with all commenters advised as to the disposition of their comment(s).

Bob and Nicole in the absence of Michelle and Tony, reviewed the “cleaned up” document referenced in the November minutes. They began at Section 6 (Detection Limit and Limit of Quantification) and proceeded through Section 6.3 (now referred to as 6.4 if changes are accepted). A revised copy of the revised EL V1M4 including the changes made by the committee during today’s meeting are provided below.



STD-ELV1M4-2025-R  
ev.3.0\_Draft Standard.



Response to  
Comment Form EL V1

A continuing concern of the committee was the anticipated time that it will apparently take to get through all the comments and prepare/post a revision to the DS. One suggestion was to form work groups with assigned sections of the current DS for review and recommendations to be addressed by the whole committee. In the absence of committee leadership, this suggestion will be addressed during the January CEC meeting.

## New/Old Business

No new or old business was presented.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:35 PM ET. The next scheduled meeting of the CEC is January 7, 2026 at 2:00 PM ET.

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### Attachment 1

## Chemistry Expert Committee Meeting December 3, 21025; 2:00 PM ET

### Agenda

Michelle Wade, Chair  
Tony Francis, Vice-Chair

1. Roll call
2. Approval/modifications of agenda

3. Review of November 5, 2025 meetings
  4. Review of comments (R2C)
    - a. Revised Draft of EL V1M4
  5. New/old business
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