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Ms. Austine Frawley, US EPA-New England  
Office of Ecosystem Protection (OEP06-4)  
5 Post Office Square  
Boston, Massachusetts 02109-3901

Re: Eastman Gelatine Corporation  
227 Washington Street  
Peabody, Massachusetts 01960  
Noncontact Cooling Water General Permit Notice of Intent

Dear Ms. Frawley,

On behalf of the Applicant, Eastman Gelatine Corporation (Eastman Gelatine), GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc. respectfully resubmits this Notice of Intent (NOI) in order to seek authorization for coverage under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Noncontact Cooling Water General Permit (NCCWGP). Eastman Gelatine Corporation (Eastman Gelatine) recently submitted an application for renewal of the facility's Individual NPDES permit (Permit No. MA0003956). As part of this permit renewal application, Eastman Gelatine is seeking NCCWGP coverage for the facility's lone industrial storm water discharge in compliance with the provisions of the Federal Clean Water Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.) and the Massachusetts Clean Waters Act, as amended (M.G.L. Chap. 21, sections 26-53).

The Applicant has in place a 10" diameter steel pipe, gravity-fed cooling water intake structure that spans approximately  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a mile, from Sidney Pond to the facility's on-site power plant. Sidney Pond is located due west of the Meadow at Peabody Golf Course and can be accessed via Granite Street. The cooling water intake structure (CWIS) is located near the bottom of Sidney Pond and is covered with a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " mesh stainless steel box screen. Cooling water enters the 10" diameter intake pipe and travels via gravity feed to an in-line wire mesh basket strainer located in the facility's power plant. Cooling water is then pumped, by one of two 10 horsepower pumps, to a 3" line that feeds boiler accessory equipment equipped with cooling sleeves. The water is returned to the surface of Goldthwait Brook resulting in a discharge temperature that is approximately 1-2 °F higher than the intake water temperature.

*Best Technology Available (BTA)*

The design capacity of the cooling water intake structure is approximately 0.165 million gallons per day (MGD); however, the CWIS is no longer utilized to provide boiler feed water and therefore the CWIS experiences a maximum monthly average intake of approximately 0.023 MGD. Based on the minimal anticipated thermal effect on water quality, the cooling system component of the process will have a negligible effect on any macroinvertebrate populations that may be present within Sidney Pond.



*Endangered Species Eligibility Act*

GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc. has consulted the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Endangered Species Consultation website for updated lists of federally-listed or proposed threatened or endangered species and critical habitats and has also obtained written notification that there are no federally-listed or proposed, threatened or endangered species or critical habitat under the jurisdiction of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service that are known to occur in the project area. Please find the attached documentation located in Appendix A of the NCCW General Permit NOI.

*National Historic Preservation Act*

GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc. has consulted the Massachusetts Historical Commission and obtained written notification that there is no potential to cause effects to historic properties in the project area. Please find the attached documentation located in Appendix A of the NCCW General Permit NOI.

As required, a copy of this NCCWGP NOI has been sent to the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) Division of Watershed Management. The NCCWGP NOI is presented in Appendix A and a copy of the BRP WM 11 application MassDEP transmittal form (Transmittal Number X239313), and submittal fee of \$385 is presented in Appendix B.

Please do not hesitate to contact me directly at (781) 278-5852 if you have any questions or require additional information about the facility or the attached NOI.

Very truly yours,

GZA GEOENVIRONMENTAL, INC.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "David Fradette". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first and last names being clearly legible.

David Fradette  
EHS Management Consultant

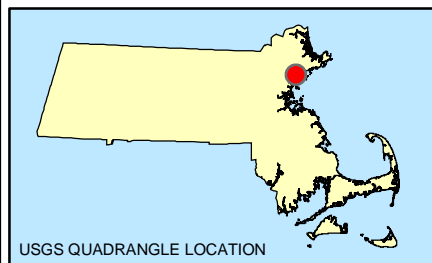
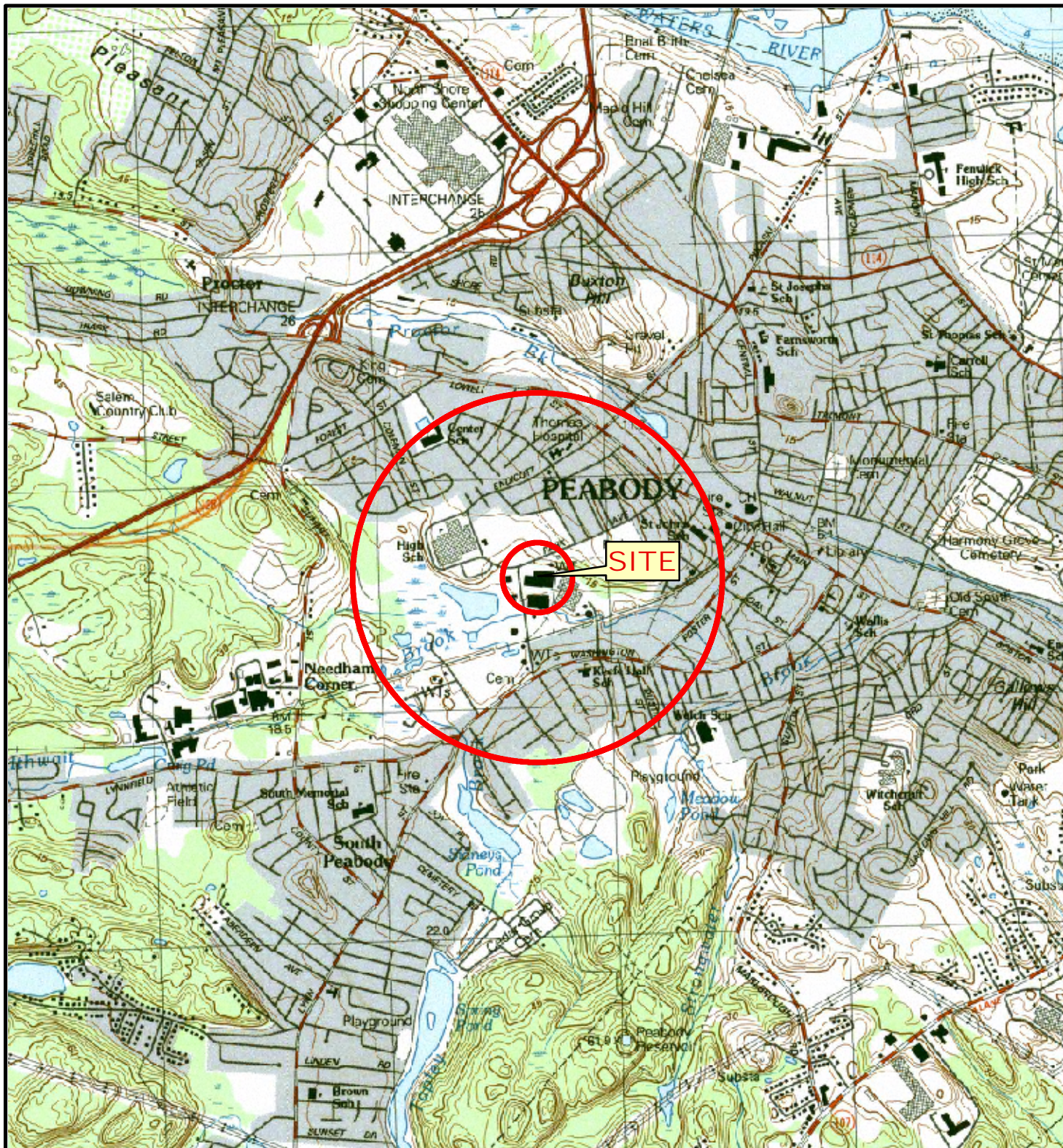
Attachments: Figure 1 – Site Locus  
Figure 2 – Aerial Site Plan  
Figure 3 – Site Scoring Topographic Map  
Figure 3 – Aerial Site Plan  
Figure 4 – Facility Layout Plan  
Figure 5 – Water Use Plan  
Appendix A – Non-Contact Cooling Water General Permit NOI  
Appendix B – Copy of MassDEP Transmittal Form and Payment

Cc: Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection

## FIGURES



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USGS QUADRANGLE LOCATION

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LOCUS PLAN  
SHOWING 500 FOOT & 1/2 MILE RADII

EASTMAN GELATINE COMPANY  
227 WASHINGTON STREET  
PEABODY, MASSACHUSETTS

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**LEGEND**

- ▲ ESSEX WELL FIELD PUMPING WELL (APPROXIMATE LOCATION)
- BRIDGE #1 BROOK SURFACE WATER ELEVATION MEASURING POINT (APPROXIMATE LOCATION)
- MW-1 EXISTING MONITORING WELL
- 27----- ELEVATION CONTOUR IN METERS

**SOURCE**

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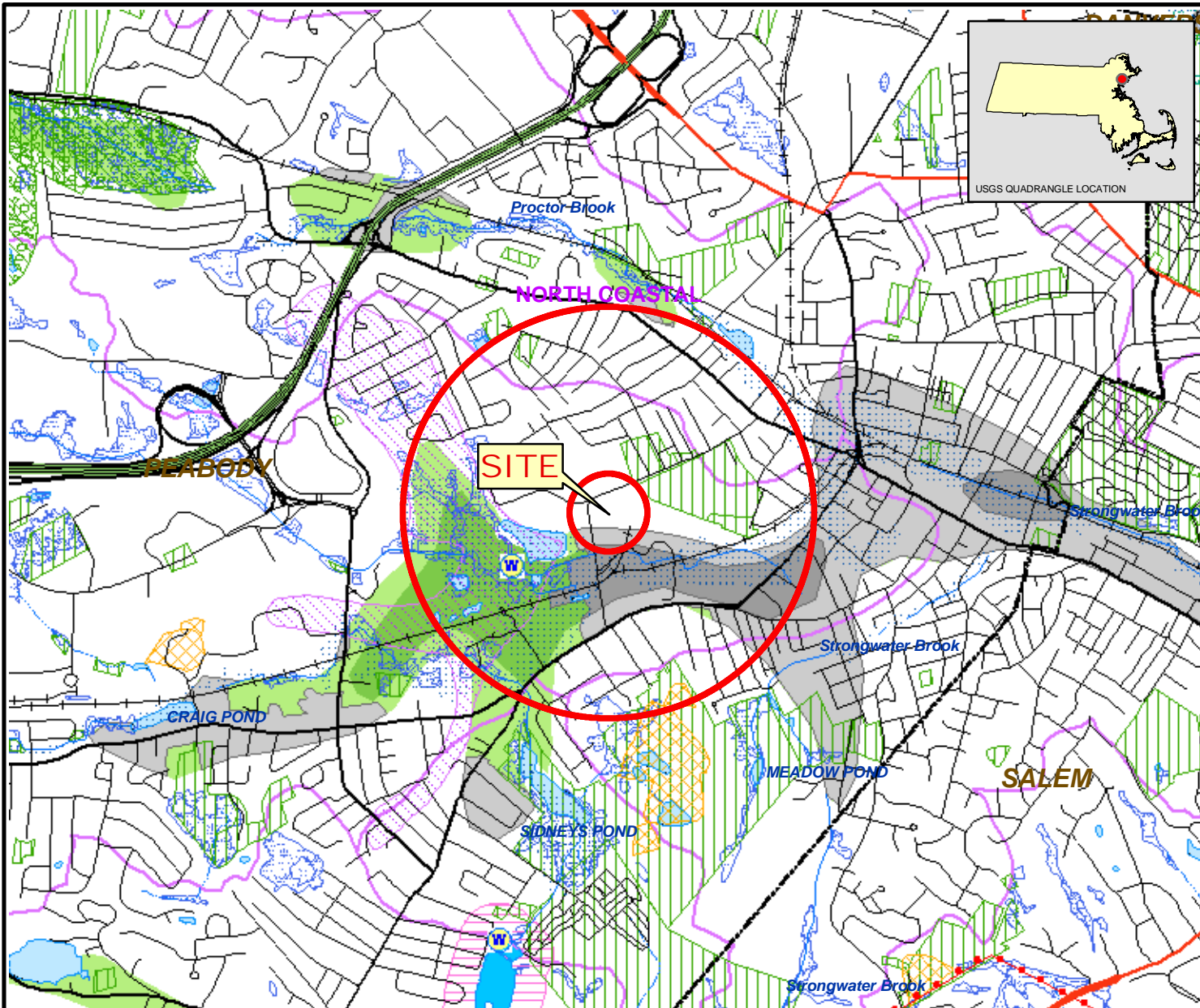
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EXPLORATION LOCATION PLAN

PREPARED BY: GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc. Engineers and Scientists ONE EDGEWATER DRIVE NORWOOD, MASSACHUSETTS 02062 PHONE: (781) 278-5700		PREPARED FOR: EASTMAN A WATKINS COMPANY	
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## DEP MCP 21e LEGEND

- Public Water Supplies
- Zone II's
- Interim Wellhead Protection Areas (IWPA's)
- Zone A
- Sole Source Aquifers
- Solid Waste Sites
- Protected Openspace
- Areas of Critical Environmental Concern
- NHESP 2008 Estimated Habitats of Rare Wildlife: Use with MA Wetlands Protection Act (310 CMR 10.00)
- NHESP 2008 Priority Habitats of State-Listed Rare Species: Use with MA Wetlands Protection Act (310 CMR 10.00)
- NHESP 2008 Massachusetts Certified Vernal Pools
- Subbasins
- Mass Major Basins
- DEP Regions
- Town Boundaries
- County Boundaries

### Aquifers, By Yield

- High Yield - Potential Source
- Medium Yield - Potential Source
- Low Yield - Potential Source

### Non-Potential Drinking Water Source Area

- High Yield - Non Potential Source
- Medium Yield - Non Potential Source

### FEMA Floodplains

- 100 Year Floodplain

### Hydrography

- Lake, Pond, Wide River, Impoundment
- Reservoir (with PWSID)
- Wetland, Marsh, Swamp, Bog
- Saltwater Wetlands
- Tidal Flats, Shoals

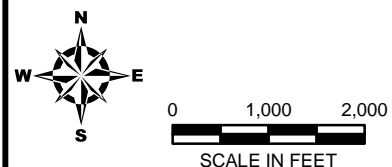
### Rivers and Streams

- Stream
- Intermittent Stream
- Shoreline
- Man-Made Shoreline
- Dam

### EOT-OTP Roads, Transmission Lines

- Limited Access Highway
- Multi-Lane Highway, Unlimited Access
- Other Numbered Highway
- Major Road - Connector
- Minor Street or Road
- Railroad Lines
- Aqueducts
- Powerline
- Pipeline
- Airport
- Track
- Trail

Source Data Supplied by  
MassGIS (October 2009)



**SITE SCORING MAP SHOWING 500 FOOT & 1/2 MILE RADII**  
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**227 WASHINGTON STREET**  
**PEABODY, MASSACHUSETTS**

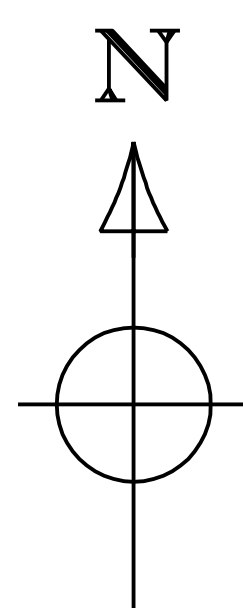
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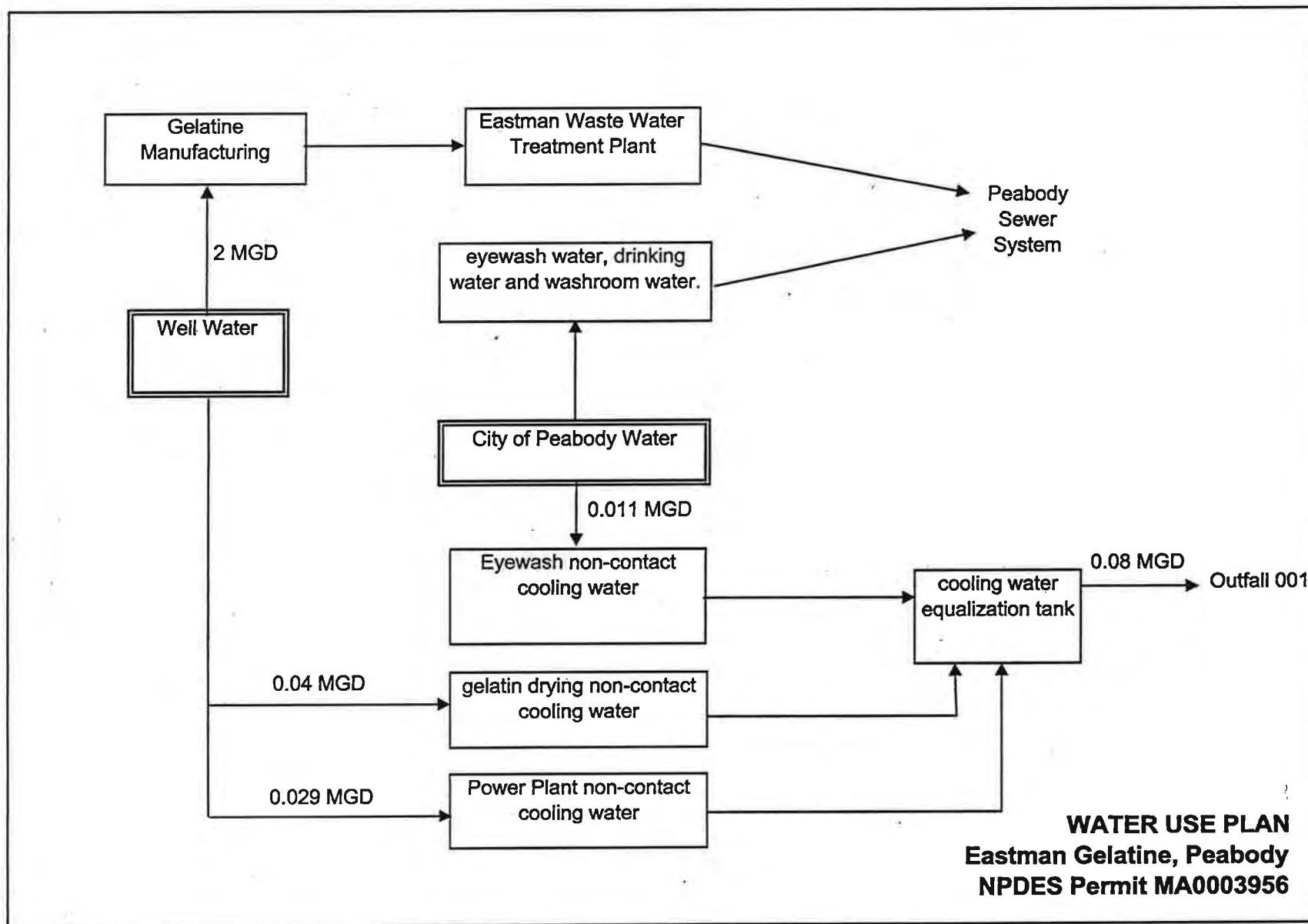
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## **APPENDIX A**

Appendix A – Non-Contact Cooling Water General Permit NOI



## APPENDIX 5

### Suggested Form for Notice of Intent (NOI) for the Noncontact Cooling Water General Permit

1. General facility information. Please provide the following information about the facility.

a) Name of facility:		Type of Business:
Facility Location Address :  longitude: _____ latitude: _____	Facility SIC codes:	Facility Mailing Address (if not location address)
b) Name of facility owner:		Email address of owner:
Owner's Tel #: _____ Owner's Fax #: _____		Owner is (check one): 1. Federal _____ 2. State _____ 3. Tribal _____ 4. Private _____ 5. Other _____ (Describe)
Address of owner (if different from facility address)		
Legal name of Operator, if not owner: _____ Operator Contact Name: _____ Operator Tel Number: _____ Fax Number: _____ Operator's email: _____ Operator Address (if different from owner) _____		
d) Attach topographic map indicating the locations of the facility and the receiving water; all NCCW discharge points; upstream and downstream monitoring points. Map attached? _____		
e) Check Yes or No for the following: 1. Has a prior NPDES permit been granted for the discharge? Yes _____ No _____ If Yes, Permit Number: _____ 2. Is the discharge a "new discharge" as defined by 40 CFR Section 122.22? Yes _____ No _____ 3. Is the facility covered by an individual NPDES permit? Yes _____ No _____ If Yes, Permit Number _____ 4. Is there a pending application on file with EPA for this discharge? Yes _____ No _____ If Yes, date of submittal: _____		



**2. Discharge information. Please provide information about the discharge, (attaching additional sheets as needed)**

a) Name of receiving water into which discharge will occur: \_\_\_\_\_  
State Water Quality Classification: \_\_\_\_\_ Freshwater: \_\_\_\_\_ Marine Water: \_\_\_\_\_

b) Describe the discharge activities for which the owner/applicant is seeking coverage:

c) **FOR MASSACHUSETTS FACILITIES ONLY:** Engineering Calculations: Submit the completed engineering calculation of the surface water temperature rise as shown in Attachment A of the General Permit. Check if attached: \_\_\_\_\_

d) Number of outfalls \_\_\_\_\_

For each outfall:

e) What is the maximum daily and average monthly flow of the discharge? Note that EPA will use the flow reported here as the facility's permitted effluent flow limit. Max Daily Flow \_\_\_\_\_ GPD Average Flow \_\_\_\_\_ GPD

f) What is the maximum daily and average monthly temperature of the discharge (in degrees F)? Max Temp. \_\_\_\_\_ Average Temp. \_\_\_\_\_

g) What is the maximum and minimum monthly pH of the discharge (in s.u.)? Max pH \_\_\_\_\_ Min pH \_\_\_\_\_

h) **FOR MASSACHUSETTS FACILITIES ONLY:** Is the source water of the NCCW potable water? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If Yes, EPA will calculate the Total Residual Chlorine limit for facilities located in Massachusetts.

i) Is the discharge continuous? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If no, is the discharge periodic (P) (occurs regularly, i.e., monthly or seasonally, but is not continuous all year) or intermittent (I) (occurs sometimes but not regularly) or both (B) \_\_\_\_\_  
If (P), number of days or months per year of the discharge \_\_\_\_\_ and the specific months of discharge \_\_\_\_\_;  
If (I), number of days/year there is a discharge \_\_\_\_\_

j) Latitude and longitude of each discharge within 100 feet: outfall 1: long. \_\_\_\_\_ lat. \_\_\_\_\_; outfall 2: long. \_\_\_\_\_ lat. \_\_\_\_\_;  
outfall 3: long. \_\_\_\_\_ lat. \_\_\_\_\_ (See [http://www.epa.gov/tri/report/siting\\_tool](http://www.epa.gov/tri/report/siting_tool))

k) Provide the reported or calculated seven day-ten year low flow (7Q10) of the receiving water \_\_\_\_\_ cfs  
Please attach any calculation sheets used to support stream flow and dilution calculations. See General Permit Attachment B for equations and additional information.

**MASSACHUSETTS FACILITIES:** See Part 3.4 and Appendix 1 of the General Permit for more information on ACEC.

**Areas of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC):** Does the discharge occur in an ACEC? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, provide the name of the ACEC: \_\_\_\_\_



**3. NCCW Source Water Information. Please provide information about the NCCW source water, using separate sheets as necessary:**

<p><b>a) Indicate source of the NCCW (i.e., municipal water supply, private well, surface water withdrawal, groundwater):</b>  <b>Source:</b> _____  <b>Name of Source Water:</b> _____          _____  <b>Is the source registered/permitted under MA Water Management Act or NHDES Water User Registration Rule (Env Wq 2202)?</b>  <b>Yes</b> _____ <b>No</b> _____  <b>If yes, registration number:</b> _____</p>	<p><b>b) If source water is surface water:</b>  <b>i) Is it a freshwater river or stream</b> Yes _____ No _____  <b>ii) Is it a lake?</b> _____ <b>reservoir?</b> _____  <b>iii) Is it tidal river?</b> _____ <b>estuary?</b> _____ <b>ocean?</b> _____  <b>c) Is the source water groundwater?</b> Yes _____ No _____ <b>If yes, see Appendix 8 and submit effluent and surface water test results, as required in Part 5.4 of the General Permit.</b>  <b>d) Does the facility use both a primary and backup source of noncontact cooling water?</b>  <b>Yes</b> _____ <b>No</b> _____  <b>If yes, attach information that identifies and explains the primary and backup sources of noncontact cooling water for and how often the backup supply was used in last three years.</b></p>
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**4. Best Technology Available for CWIS**

**Are you subject to BTA requirements at Part 4.2 of the General Permit? (Facility's discharge is covered by this General Permit and the facility withdraws noncontact cooling water from surface source water). Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_ **If No, explain:**

**If YES, attach the facility-specific BTA description as required in Part 4.3 of the General Permit. For additional information and guidance, see Questions 13-23 of the NCCW Fact Sheet, posted at <http://www.epa.gov/region1/npdes/nccwgp.html>. Provide a map showing the location of each CWIS intake structure; NCCW outfall(s) and any CWIS feature referred to in the BTA description.**

**Include in your description:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Measures to meet the General Permit Part 4.3.a general BTA requirements, including documentation that describes the facility's monitoring program for impinged fish and/or invertebrate; or the required alternative monitoring plan frequency and/or protocol
- \_\_\_\_\_ A characterization of the source water body's aquatic life habitat in the vicinity of each CWIS during the seasons when the CWIS may be in use
- \_\_\_\_\_ The attributes of the current CWIS
- \_\_\_\_\_ Design measures of the CWIS
- \_\_\_\_\_ Operation measures of the CWIS
- \_\_\_\_\_ Historical occurrence of impinged fish for the past five years
- \_\_\_\_\_ If applicable, a demonstration that the facility's intake rate is commensurate with a closed-cycle recirculation system
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other components to reduce impingement and/or entrainment of aquatic life

#### 4. BTA FOR CWIS CONTINUED:

Provide the following information for each CWIS to support your attached facility-specific BTA description.

Design capacity of the of the CWIS \_\_\_\_\_MGD

Maximum monthly average intake of the CWIS during the previous five years \_\_\_\_\_MGD    Month in which this flow occurred \_\_\_\_\_

Maximum through-screen design intake velocity \_\_\_\_\_feet/second (fps)

For facilities where the CWIS is located on a freshwater river or stream, provide the following information:

The source water's annual mean flow \_\_\_\_\_cubic feet/second (cfs) as available from USGS or other appropriate source

The design intake flow as a % of the source water's annual mean flow \_\_\_\_\_ Attach calculations if equal to or less than 5% of annual mean flow.

The source water's 7Q10 \_\_\_\_\_cfs. See Attachment B of the General Permit for more information on 7Q10 determinations.

The design intake flow as a percent of the source water's 7Q10 \_\_\_\_\_

#### 5. Contaminant Information

If applicable, attach a listing of all non-toxic pH neutralization and/or dechlorination chemicals used, including chemical name and manufacturer; maximum and average daily quantity used as well as the maximum and average daily expected concentrations (mg/l) in the NCCW discharge, and the vendor's reported aquatic toxicity (NOAEL and/or LC<sub>50</sub> in percent for aquatic organism(s)).

6. Determination of Endangered Species Act Eligibility: Provide documentation of ESA eligibility as required at Part 3.4 and Appendix 2, Part C, Step 4, of the General Permit. In addition, respond to the following questions.

- a) Are any listed threatened or endangered species, or designated critical habitat, in proximity to the discharge? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- b) Has any consultation with the federal services been completed?    Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- c) Is consultation underway?    Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- d) What were the results of the consultation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and/or NOAA Fisheries Service (check one):
  - a "no jeopardy" opinion \_\_\_\_ or written concurrence \_\_\_\_ on a finding that the discharges are not likely to adversely affect any endangered species or
- e) Which of the five eligibility criteria listed in Appendix 2, Section B (A,B,C,D or E) have you met? \_\_\_\_\_
- f) Attach a copy of the most current federal listing of endangered and threatened species from the USF&W web site listed in Appendices 2, 2.1 and 4

7. Documentation of National Historic Preservation Act requirements: Please respond to the following questions:

- a) Are any historic properties listed or eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places located on the facility site or in proximity to the discharge? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- b) Have any State or Tribal historic preservation officers been consulted in this determination? Yes \_\_\_\_ or No \_\_\_\_ If yes, attach the results of the consultation(s).
- c) Which of the three National Historic Preservation Act requirements listed in Appendix 3, Section C (1,2 o3) have you met? \_\_\_\_\_



**8. Supplemental Information:** Please provide any supplemental information. Attach any analytical data used to support the application. Attach any certification(s) required by the general permit

**9. Signature Requirements:** The Notice of Intent must be signed by the operator in accordance with the signatory requirements of 40 CFR Section 122.22 (see below) including the following certification:

I certify under penalty of law that (1) no biocides or other chemical additives except for those used for pH adjustment and/or dechlorination are used in the noncontact cooling water (NCCW) system; (2) the discharge consists solely of NCCW (to reduce temperature) and authorized pH adjustment and/or dechlorination chemicals; (3) the discharge does not come in contact with any raw materials, intermediate product, water product (other than heat) or finished product; (4) if the discharge of noncontact cooling water subsequently mixes with other wastewater (i.e. stormwater) prior to discharging to the receiving water, any monitoring provided under this permit will be only for noncontact cooling water; (5) where applicable, the facility has complied with the requirements of this permit specific to the Endangered Species Act and National Historic Preservation Act; and (6) this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted.

Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, I certify that the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I certify that I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

<b>Facility Name:</b>	
<b>Operator signature:</b>	
<b>Title:</b>	
<b>Date:</b>	

Federal regulations require this application to be signed as follows:

1. For a corporation, by a principal executive officer of at least the level of vice president;
2. For a partnership or sole proprietorship, by a general partner or the proprietor, respectively, or,
3. For a municipality, State, Federal or other public facility, by either a principal executive officer or ranking elected official.





## Northeast Environmental Laboratory, Inc.

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978-777-4442 DEP #MA123

Eastman Gelatine Corporation  
227 Washington Street  
Peabody, MA 01960

Report Number 33766  
Report Date 07/26/11

84991 Outfall 001, 26.0°C, field pH 6.55

Collected 7/18/11 at 13:00 by JL

Preservation 4°C, HNO<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>

Received 7/18/11 at 15:10 by JRT

Parameter	Result	MDL	Units	Method	Analyzed	By	Lab	Cert.*
Ammonia as N	1.2	0.02	mg/L	350.1	07/25/11	DDD	CT008	N
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	10	2	mg/L	5210B	07/19/11	ZSH	MA123	N
Chemical Oxygen Demand	42	5	mg/L	5220-D	07/20/11	DCH	CT008	N
Copper	0.038	0.001	mg/L	3113B	07/22/11	JL	MA123	P, N
Lead	0.025	0.001	mg/L	3113B	07/25/11	JL	MA123	P, N
Nitrate	0.6	0.02	mg/L	300.0	07/19/11	JL	MA123	P, N
Nitrite	< 0.01	0.01	mg/L	300.0	07/19/11	JL	MA123	P
Oil & Grease	< 2	1	mg/L	1664A	07/22/11	JHF	CT008	N
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	2.4	0.5	mg/L	351.1	07/21/11	DCH	CT008	N
Total Organic Carbon	9.8	0.5	mg/L	5310C	07/21/11	KH	CT008	N
Total Phosphorous	0.25	0.02	mg/L	365.1	07/22/11	DDD	CT008	N
Total Suspended Solids	6	1	mg/L	2540D	07/19/11	PT	MA123	N
Zinc	0.35	0.01	mg/L	3111B	07/22/11	ZTL	MA123	N

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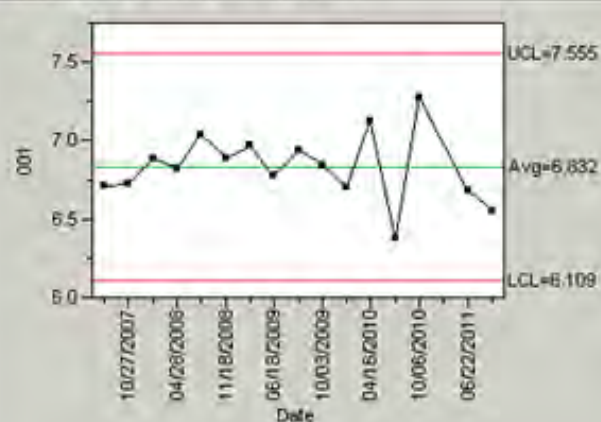
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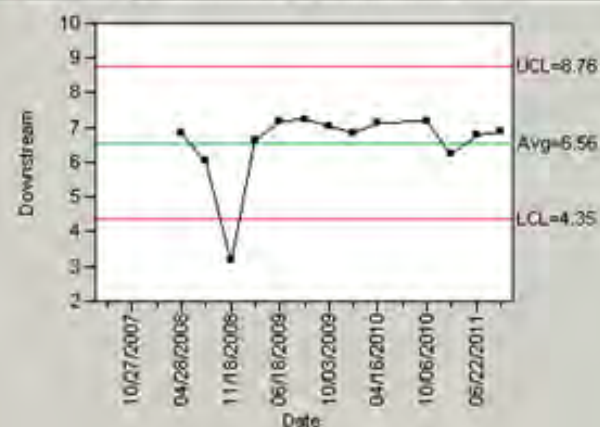
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001	6.71	6.72	6.89	6.82	7.04	6.89	6.97	6.78	6.94	6.84	6.70	7.12	6.38	7.28	-	6.68	6.55
Downstream	-	-	-	6.85	6.03	3.19	6.66	7.18	7.21	7.04	6.82	7.15		7.17	6.26	6.81	6.88
Rain Water	4.15	5.11	5.16	5.75	5.78	6.00	5.45	6.20	6.31	5.87	5.80	5.43	4.11	6.42	5.07	5.24	4.52
Upstream	-	-	-	6.62	6.30	6.89	6.68	7.50	6.96	7.11	6.58	7.08	6.43	6.78	6.69	6.34	6.78

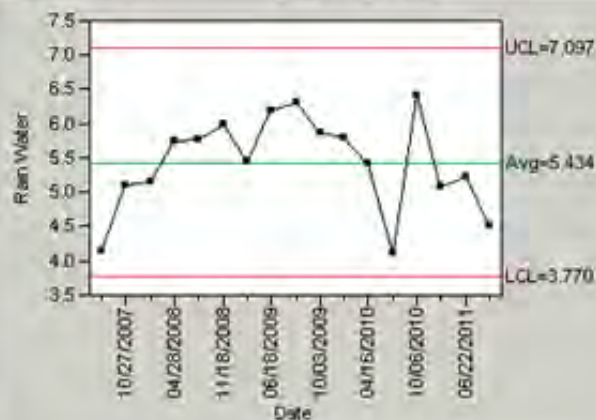
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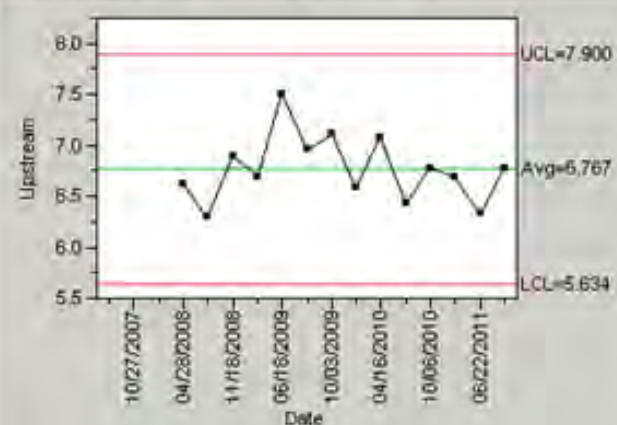
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Individual Measurement of Rain Water



Individual Measurement of Upstream





**NCCW General Permit  
Receiving Water Temperature Engineering Calculation**

The basic equations used for the calculation of river temperature rise are as follows:

$$Q_{\text{plant}} = C_p m_p \Delta T_p$$

$$Q_{\text{river}} = C_p m_r \Delta T_r$$

$$C_p m_p \Delta T_p = C_p m_r \Delta T_r$$

$$\Delta T_r = m_p / m_r \times \Delta T_p$$

Where:

$Q_{\text{plant}}$  = heat load discharged from plant (btu)

$C_p$  = heat capacity of water = 1.0 °F x btu/lb

$m_p$  = mass of effluent, lbs (gal. or cubic feet per second if volume is used)

$\Delta T_p$  = change in temperature, effluent – influent, °F

$m_r$  = mass of river, lbs (gal. or cubic feet per second if volume is used)

$\Delta T_r$  = change in river temperature, °F

Since all of the heat rejected by the plant is assumed to be absorbed by the river:

$$Q_p = Q_r \text{ and } Q_r = C_p M_r \Delta T_r \text{ or } \Delta T_r = Q_r / C_p M_r$$

$$Q_r = 100 \text{ btu/hr}$$

$$m_r = 0.023 \text{ mgd}$$

$$\Delta T_r = (100 \text{ btu/hr}) / (1 \text{ btu/lbs } ^\circ\text{F}) \times (24 \text{ hrs/day}) \times (\text{gal}/8.34 \text{ lbs}) / 2.3 \times 10^2 \text{ gal/day} = 0.870 \text{ } ^\circ\text{F}$$

Therefore facility has demonstrated that the receiving water will be protected and no in-stream monitoring is required.



## United States Department of the Interior



FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE  
New England Field Office  
70 Commercial Street, Suite 300  
Concord, New Hampshire 03301-5087  
<http://www.fws.gov/northeast/newenglandfieldoffice>

January 12, 2009

Reference:	<u>Project</u>	<u>Location</u>
	NPDES stormwater discharge general permit	Norwood, MA
	NPDES stormwater discharge general permit	New Bedford, MA
	NPDES stormwater discharge general permit	Fall River, MA
	NPDES stormwater discharge general permit	Peabody, MA

David Fradette  
GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc.  
One Edgewater Drive  
Norwood, MA 02062

Dear Mr. Fradette:

This responds to your recent correspondence requesting information on the presence of federally-listed and/or proposed endangered or threatened species in relation to the proposed activities referenced above.

Based on information currently available to us, no federally-listed or proposed, threatened or endangered species or critical habitat under the jurisdiction of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service are known to occur in the project areas. Preparation of a Biological Assessment or further consultation with us under Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act is not required.

This concludes our review of listed species and critical habitat in the project locations and environs referenced above. No further Endangered Species Act coordination of this type is necessary for a period of one year from the date of this letter, unless additional information on listed or proposed species becomes available.

In order to curtail the need to contact this office in the future for updated lists of federally-listed or proposed threatened or endangered species and critical habitats, please visit the Endangered Species Consultation page on the New England Field Office's website:

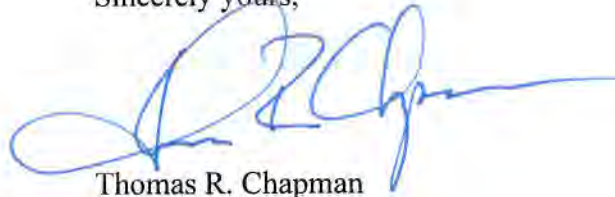
[www.fws.gov/northeast/newenglandfieldoffice/EndangeredSpec-Consultation.htm](http://www.fws.gov/northeast/newenglandfieldoffice/EndangeredSpec-Consultation.htm)



In addition, there is a link to procedures that may allow you to conclude if habitat for a listed species is present in the project area. If no habitat exists, then no federally-listed species are present in the project area and there is no need to contact us for further consultation. If the above conclusion cannot be reached, further consultation with this office is advised. Information describing the nature and location of the proposed activity that should be provided to us for further informal consultation can be found at the above-referenced site.

Thank you for your coordination. Please contact Anthony Tur at 603-223-2541 if we can be of further assistance.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'T. Chapman', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Thomas R. Chapman  
Supervisor  
New England Field Office



**MassWildlife**

*Commonwealth of Massachusetts*

# **Division of Fisheries & Wildlife**

Wayne F. MacCallum, *Director*

1/14/2009

David Fradette  
GZA GeoEnvironmental  
1 Edgewater Drive  
Norwood MA 02062

RE:      Project Location:      Eastman Gelatine, 227 Washington Street  
         Town:                      PEABODY  
         NHESP Tracking No.: 06-20198

Mr. Fradette:

Thank you for contacting the Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program ("NHESP") of the MA Division of Fisheries & Wildlife for information regarding state-listed rare species in the vicinity of the above referenced site.

Based on the information provided, the NHESP has determined that at this time the site is not mapped as Priority or Estimated Habitat. The NHESP database does not contain any state-listed species records in the immediate vicinity of this site.

This evaluation is based on the most recent information available in the NHESP database, which is constantly being expanded and updated through ongoing research and inventory. If you have any questions regarding this letter please contact Emily Holt, Endangered Species Review Assistant, at (508) 389-6361.

Sincerely,

Thomas W. French, Ph.D.  
Assistant Director

[www.masswildlife.org](http://www.masswildlife.org)



## Rare Species by Town: Peabody

### MESA (Massachusetts Endangered Species Act) and Federal Status

E = Endangered

T = Threatened

SC = Special Concern

### Most Recent Observation

This field represents the most recent observation of that species in a town. However, because they are rare, many MESA-listed species are difficult to detect even when they are present. Natural Heritage does not have the resources to be able to conduct methodical species surveys in each town on a regular basis. Therefore, the fact that the 'Most Recent Observation' recorded for a species may be several years old should not be interpreted as meaning that the species no longer occurs in a town. However, Natural Heritage regards records older than twenty-five years historic.

Click on a town below to view MESA-listed species for that town. To print the species for a particular town, highlight the species using your mouse, go to Print under the File Menu, click on 'Selection' under 'Print Range' and click OK.

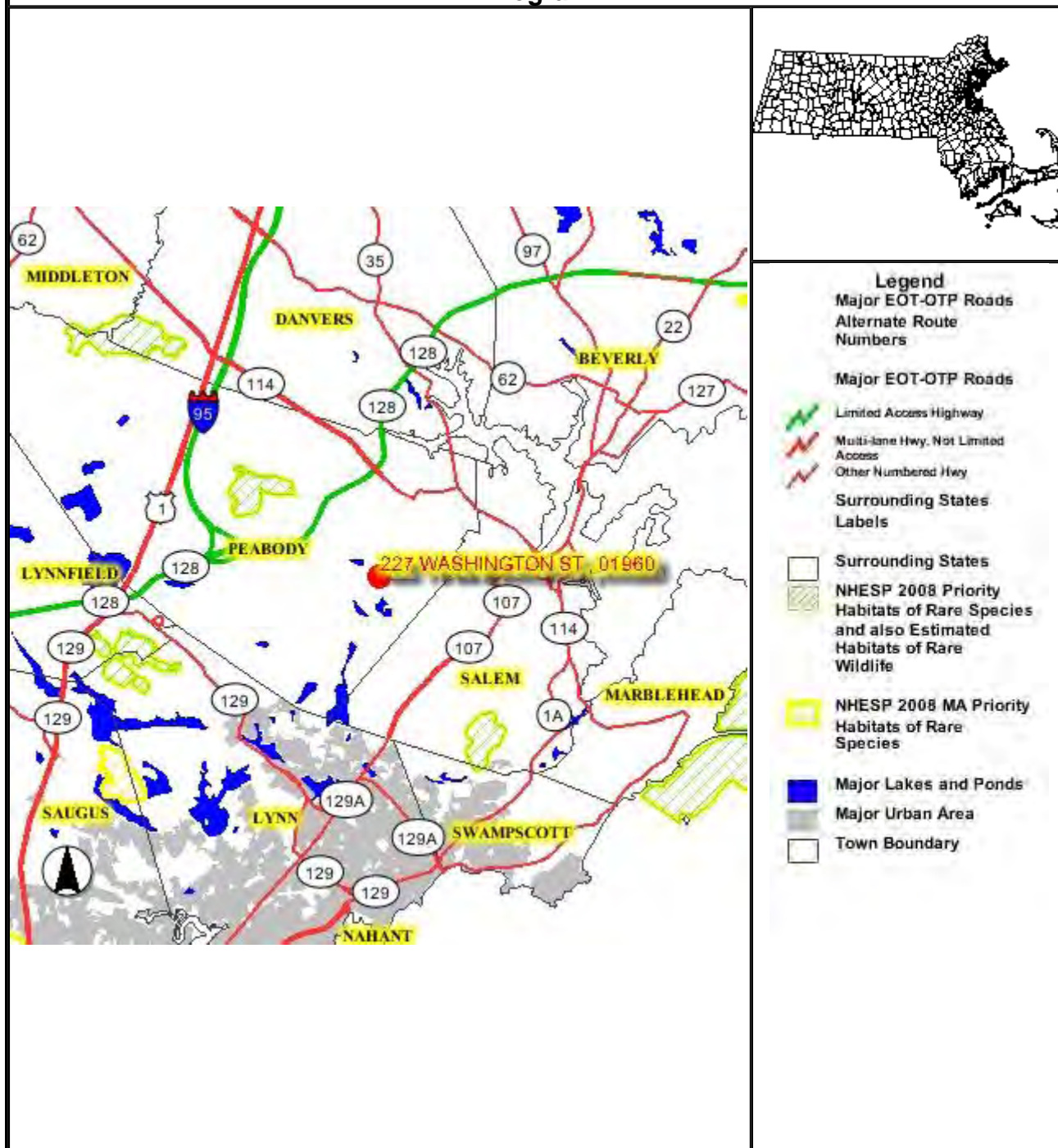
For more information about a particular species, view the list of [Natural Heritage Fact Sheets](#).

These data were extracted from the database of the Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program in September 2009.

Town	Taxonomic Group	Scientific Name	Common Name	MESA Status	Federal Status	Most Recent Observation
PEABODY	Amphibian	Ambystoma laterale	Blue-spotted Salamander	SC		2002
PEABODY	Bird	Accipiter striatus	Sharp-shinned Hawk	SC		1896
PEABODY	Bird	Gallinula chloropus	Common Moorhen	SC		1970s
PEABODY	Fish	Notropis bifrenatus	Bridle Shiner	SC		1961
PEABODY	Reptile	Glyptemys insculpta	Wood Turtle	SC		1996
PEABODY	Reptile	Terrapene carolina	Eastern Box Turtle	SC		1995
PEABODY	Vascular Plant	Aristida purpurascens	Purple Needlegrass	T		1879
PEABODY	Vascular Plant	Gentiana andrewsii	Andrews' Bottle Gentian	E		1933
PEABODY	Vascular Plant	Liatris scariosa var. novae-angliae	New England Blazing Star	SC		1933
PEABODY	Vascular Plant	Ranunculus micranthus	Tiny-flowered Buttercup	E		1912
PEABODY	Vascular Plant	Scheuchzeria palustris	Pod-grass	E		1886

Source: [http://www.mass.gov/dfwele/dfw/nhesp/species\\_info/town\\_lists/town\\_p.htm#peabody](http://www.mass.gov/dfwele/dfw/nhesp/species_info/town_lists/town_p.htm#peabody)

# 2008 Priority Habitat and Estimated Habitat Natural Heritage & Endangered Species Program





**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**  
William Francis Galvin, Secretary of the Commonwealth  
Massachusetts Historical Commission

December 26, 2008

David Fradette  
GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc.  
One Edgewater Drive  
Norwood, MA 02062

Re: 227 Washington St, Peabody, MA. MHC# RC.40311

Dear Mr. Wierbonics:

Thank you for your inquiry to the Massachusetts Historical Commission for the project referenced above. Staff of the MHC have reviewed the information you submitted and our files. The project consists of the application for coverage under a US Environmental Project Agency Multi Sector General Permit to discharge stormwater from an industrial facility located at 227 Washington Street in Peabody.

Since there is no new construction or demolition, the project has "no potential to cause effects" (36 CFR 800.3(a)(1)) to historic properties.

These comments are offered to assist in compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (36 CFR 800) and the Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 9, Section 26-27C (950 CMR 71). If you have any questions or require further information, please contact Tim Hollis at this office.

Sincerely,

  
Jonathan K. Patton  
Archaeologist/Preservation Planner  
Massachusetts Historical Commission

xc: Jean Brochi, EPA



## **APPENDIX B**

### **MASSDEP BWP IW-36 APPLICATION, TRANSMITTAL FORM, AND FEE**



A Kodak Company

227 Washington Street  
Peabody, MA 01960

August 19, 2011

MassDEP  
P.O. Box 4062  
Boston, MA 02211

Re: Eastman Gelatine Corporation  
Transmittal Number X239313  
Form BRP WM 11  
NPDES Permit Renewal

Dear MassDEP:

Eastman Gelatine Corporation (Eastman Gelatine) is submitting the attached MassDEP Transmittal Form for Permit Application and Payment (Transmittal Number X239313), along with the BRP WM 11 General Permit for Non-Contact Cooling Water and check in the amount of \$385 to cover the application fee for noncontact cooling water (NCCW) discharges from the facility's lone industrial storm water discharge (currently permitted under National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit No. MA0003956).

Very truly yours,  
Eastman Gelatine Corporation

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Edward Hurley'.

Edward Hurley  
President & General Manager

Attachments: MassDEP Transmittal Form for Permit Application and Payment  
Check (\$385)



Enter your transmittal number

X239313

Transmittal Number

Your unique Transmittal Number can be accessed online: <http://mass.gov/dep/service/online/trasmfrm.shtml> or call MassDEP's InfoLine at 617-338-2255 or 800-462-0444 (from 508, 781, and 978 area codes).

## Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection

# Transmittal Form for Permit Application and Payment

1. Please type or print. A separate Transmittal Form must be completed for each permit application.

2. Make your check payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and mail it with a copy of this form to: DEP, P.O. Box 4062, Boston, MA 02211.

3. Three copies of this form will be needed.

**Copy 1 - the original** must accompany your permit application. **Copy 2** must accompany your fee payment. **Copy 3** should be retained for your records

4. Both fee-paying and exempt applicants must mail a copy of this transmittal form to:

MassDEP  
P.O. Box 4062  
Boston, MA  
02211

**\* Note:**  
For BWSC Permits, enter the LSP.

## A. Permit Information

BRP WM 11

1. Permit Code: 7 or 8 character code from permit instructions

NPDES Permit Renewal

3. Type of Project or Activity

Non-Contact Cooling Water General Permit

2. Name of Permit Category

## B. Applicant Information – Firm or Individual

Eastman Gelatine Corporation

1. Name of Firm - Or, if party needing this approval is an individual enter name below:

2. **Last Name** of Individual

227 Washington Street

5. Street Address

Peabody

6. City/Town

Edward Hurley

11. Contact Person

3. **First Name** of Individual

MA

01960

7. State

8. Zip Code

9. Telephone #

4. MI

edward.hurley@kodak.com

12. e-mail address (optional)

## C. Facility, Site or Individual Requiring Approval

Eastman Gelatine Corporation

1. Name of Facility, Site Or Individual

227 Washington Street

2. Street Address

Peabody

3. City/Town

MA

01960

4. State

5. Zip Code

6. Telephone #

7. Ext. #

8. DEP Facility Number (if Known)

9. Federal I.D. Number (if Known)

10. BWSC Tracking # (if Known)

## D. Application Prepared by (if different from Section B)\*

GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc.

1. Name of Firm Or Individual

1 Edgewater Drive

2. Address

Norwood

3. City/Town

David Fradette

8. Contact Person

MA

02062

4. State

5. Zip Code

(781) 278-5852

6. Telephone #

7. Ext. #

N/A

9. LSP Number (BWSC Permits only)

## E. Permit - Project Coordination

1. Is this project subject to MEPA review? ☐ yes ☒ no  
If yes, enter the project's EOE file number - assigned when an Environmental Notification Form is submitted to the MEPA unit:

EOEA File Number

## F. Amount Due

### Special Provisions:

- ☐ **Fee Exempt** (city, town or municipal housing authority)(state agency if fee is \$100 or less).  
*There are no fee exemptions for BWSC permits, regardless of applicant status.*
- ☐ **Hardship Request** - payment extensions according to 310 CMR 4.04(3)(c).
- ☐ **Alternative Schedule Project** (according to 310 CMR 4.05 and 4.10).
- ☐ **Homeowner** (according to 310 CMR 4.02).

DEP Use Only

Permit No:

Rec'd Date:

Reviewer:

223813

Check Number

\$385

Dollar Amount

8/19/2011

Date



**GZA GEOENVIRONMENTAL, INC.**

ONE EDGEWATER DR.  
NORWOOD, MA 02062



KeyBank National Association  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84115  
1-800-KEY2YOU

31-300-1243

223813

August 1, 2011

CHECK DATE

Three Hundred Eighty Five and 00/100 Dollars

PAY

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

TO

AMOUNT 385.00

NOT VALID IN EXCESS OF \$10,000 UNLESS COUNTERSIGNED

*David Brew*

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE - NOT VALID AFTER 90 DAYS

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