

Summary Report
2015 ANNUAL DRINKING WATER QUALITY TESTING REPORT FOR
MAIN INTERIOR BUILDING (MIB) & SOUTH INTERIOR BUILDING (SIB)

SUMMARY

International Chemstar Incorporated, an independent laboratory, performed testing of the drinking water system on May 18, 2015 in the MIB and the SIB. Chemstar sampled water sources for lead, copper, total chlorine and total coliforms. Testing is part of scheduled monitoring of the drinking water systems.

RESULTS

Results of all of the water samples tested were within the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) limits for drinking water and no system adjustments are necessary.

MIB Test Results from May 18, 2015:

CONTAMINANT	SOURCE OF CONTAMINANTS IN DRINKING WATER	ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA) LIMITS	RESULTS
Copper	Corrosion of plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits	1.3 ppm*	0.0064 – 0.18 ppm*
Lead	Corrosion of plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits	.015 mg/L**	Not Detected
Total Coliforms	Indicator of potentially harmful bacteria	5% of total samples	All samples were negative
Total Chlorine	Disinfectant added to water used to control microbes	4.0 ppm*	3.0 ppm*

*Parts per million

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SIB Test Results from May 18, 2015:

CONTAMINANT	SOURCE OF CONTAMINANTS IN DRINKING WATER	ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA) LIMITS	RESULTS
Copper	Corrosion of plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits	1.3 ppm*	0.0046 – 0.034 ppm*
Lead	Corrosion of plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits	.015 mg/L**	0.000 – 0.0074 mg/L**
Total Coliforms	Indicator of potentially harmful bacteria	5% of total samples	All samples were negative
Total Chlorine	Disinfectant added to water used to control microbes	4.0 ppm*	3.0 ppm*

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OUTCOME

The drinking water system is scheduled to be tested annually. If you would like more detailed information or see a copy of Chemstar’s report, please contact the Building Manager at (202) 208-4398 or [Kenneth Tunney@ios.doi.gov](mailto:Kenneth_Tunney@ios.doi.gov).

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