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July 14, 1997  
PY-CEI/OEPA-0271L

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency  
Northeast District Office  
2110 East Aurora Road  
Twinsburg, Ohio 44087

Subject:  
Perry Nuclear Power Plant  
NPDES Permit No. 31B00016\*ED

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Essential maintenance is planned to be performed on the Perry Nuclear Power Plant (PNPP) circulating water system during a refueling outage scheduled to begin in September, 1997. The maintenance will require the addition of Betz FerroQuest LP7202, a calcium carbonate scale remover. Product information is attached. In addition to the Betz product, sulfuric acid will be used to lower pH. This circulating water system cleaning evolution is expected to last about 48 hours. During chemical addition PNPP will monitor pH hourly. This frequency will be reduced to every 4 hours during the duration of the treatment.

Upon completion of the treatment, the treated water will be mixed with service water and discharged via the plant discharge, 31B00016004, with make up water being supplied by the plant service water system until the concentration in the circulating water is reduced to 75 ppm of FerroQuest LP7202. During the discharge evolution, the maximum concentration of FerroQuest LP7202 and sulfuric acid will be 300 ppm and .2 mg/L respectively at this outfall. Discharge information is attached per Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (OEPA) guidelines for non-contact cooling water system additives.

Following treatment, the system is to be drained for other maintenance activities. To expedite drainage, PNPP is requesting approval to pump some of the 7 million gallons of circulating system water via storm drains to a stream impoundment on the east side of the plant. It is PNPP's intention to meet the same sampling requirements for bypassing to the storm drains as those at the normal plant discharge. A skimmer plate and impoundment drum are in place downstream of the point where plant site drainage enters the stream and prior to entry into Lake Erie. Based on the pump rating, this activity should take five days or less. No solids or sludges will be pumped during the system draining. These will be manually removed.

In the past, leaks from expansion joints and small cracks in the cooling tower basin wall and return piping have resulted in OEPA notification. The concrete will complete another thermal cycle by the end of summer at which time small leaks may occur. All required regulatory actions will be adhered to if leakage occurs.

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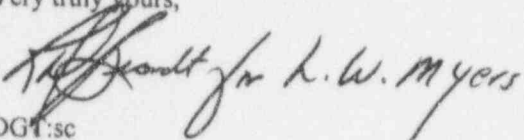


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Since planning for the September outage is already underway, and this is a key step in the maintenance schedule, a response is requested at your earliest convenience.

If you have questions or require additional information, please contact Ms. Donna Tizzano at (216) 280-5514.

Very truly yours,

  
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Attachments

cc: NRC Region III  
NRC Resident Inspector  
NRC Project Manager  
NRC Document Control Desk (Docket No. 50-440)

**PRODUCT INFORMATION FOR the Ohio EPA**

**For:** CEI-Perry Nuclear Power Plant - Circulating Water System  
**Submitted By:** Betz Water Management Group

**1. Additive Name - FerroQuest LP7202**

**Manufacturer Information:** Betz Water Management Group  
One Quality Way  
Trevose, PA 19053  
Phone: 215-355-3300  
Fax: 215-953-5501

- a. MSDS attached
  - b. & c. Trade Secret Ingredient (E195)  
Trade Secret Ingredient (122)
- Additional information can be obtained through Ray Post, Product Manager  
(215)674-9200x532 on an as needed basis.

d. The product, FerroQuest LP7202 is a calcium carbonate remover.

**2. The concentration of the additive to be used is 1100 mg/L.**

- a. The addition frequency will be on an "As needed" basis. Typically less than 1 time per year.
- b. The treatment application will last a maximum of 72 hours.
- c. The product is gravity fed based on theoretical calculations.

**3. Discharge levels of 300 ppm product are approximately 33.3% of the 48 hrs. LC50 for the most sensitive organism Daphnia magna. The discharge of the FerroQuest from the circulating water system could be easily met by diluting the blowdown of the circulating water system of 20,000 gpm with 55,000 gpm from the service water system.**

- a. The average discharge from the cooling tower = 10,000 gpm which is combined with the average plant discharge of 55,000 gpm.
- b. Detoxification is not required.

**4. The average flow rate at the outfall is 93.60 MGD at the main plant outfall. A maximum flow rate at the outfall is of 108 MGD. Should the flow rate reach the maximum of 108 MGD, greater dilution of the FerroQuest LP7202 would be achieved.**

**5. Lake Erie receives the discharge from the plant.**

**6. Toxicity and environmental information.**

- a. 48-hour LC 50 and 96-hour LC 50 for the additive is attached.

# Interoffice

**To:** R. Post

**Date:** March 6, 1997

**cc** P. Friend  
L. Lyons  
C. Falco

**From:** K. Gibson

**Subject:** FerroQuest LP7202 Study  
Results

Below are the results of 4 studies conducted on FerroQuest LP7202 using Fathead Minnow and Daphnia magna as the test species. Two screen studies were conducted without pH adjustments. Initial pH and dissolved oxygen readings are given. Please note that after the 48 hour exposure, pH and dissolved oxygen levels remained constant, neither rising or falling.

## NON-ADJUSTED SCREENS:

Species	Concentration (mg/l)	Cumulative % Mortality 48 hrs.	Initial pH	Initial D.O.
Fathead Minnow	Control	0	7.4	8.7
	1	0	7.3	8.7
	10	0	7.2	8.7
	50	0	6.2	8.6
	100	0	5.2	8.6
Daphnia magna	Control	0	7.4	8.7
	1	0	7.3	8.7
	10	0	7.2	8.7
	50	0	6.2	8.6
	100	100	5.2	8.6

Data to be reported is as follows:

Fathead minnow 48 hour static screen - 0% Mortality at 100 mg/l

Daphnia magna 48 hour static screen - - 0% Mortality at 50 mg/l; 100% Mortality at 100 mg/l.

Two definitive studies (LC50) were also conducted. The test solutions in the definitive studies were pH adjusted with powdered CaCO<sub>3</sub> to levels between 6 and 7. This method of adjustment was thought to best mimic the process involved in the use of FerroQuest LP7202. Please note, test solutions in these studies were aerated for the duration of the exposure to prevent degradation and dissolved oxygen depression at the higher test concentrations.

Species	Concentration (mg/l)	% Mortality 48 hrs	Initial pH / Adj. level	Final pH	Initial Dissolved Oxygen	Final Dissolved Oxygen
<b>Daphnia magna</b>						
	Control	0	7.5	7.6	8.7	8.6
	500	0	4.8 / 6.6	8.0	8.5	8.7
	1000	10	4.7 / 6.5	8.0	8.5	8.7
	2000	0	4.4 / 6.4	8.0	8.5	8.8
	3000	10	4.0 / 6.2	7.6	8.5	8.6
	4000	75	3.9 / 6.2	7.8	8.3	8.7
	5000	100	3.2 / 6.1	7.6	8.1	8.7

Species	Concentration (mg/l)	% Mortality 96 hrs	Initial pH / Adj. level	Final pH	Initial Dissolved Oxygen	Final Dissolved Oxygen
<b>Fathead minnow</b>						
	Control	5	7.5	7.6	8.7	8.3
	500	5	4.8 / 6.6	8.0	8.5	8.7
	1000	20	4.7 / 6.5	7.6	8.5	8.3
	2000	60	4.4 / 6.4	7.7	8.5	8.2
	3000	100	4.0 / 6.2	7.4	8.5	7.4
	4000	100	3.9 / 6.2	7.8	8.3	8.8
	5000	100	3.2 / 6.1	7.6	8.1	8.9

**Data to be reported as follows:**

**Daphnia magna 48 hour acute static bioassay with pH adjust. - NOEL = 500 mg/l; LC50 = 3350 mg/l.**

**Fathead minnow 96 hour acute static bioassay with pH adjust. - NOEL = 500 mg/l; LC50 = 1440 mg/l.**

If you have any questions about these studies, please contact me or Larry Lyons.

**BETZDEARBORN MATERIAL  
SAFETY DATA SHEET**



Attachment 2

**BetzDearborn**

EFFECTIVE DATE: 28-FEB-1997

PRINTED DATE: 08-APR-1997

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**1) CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

**PRODUCT NAME : FERROQUEST LP7202**

**PRODUCT APPLICATION AREA: CHEMICAL CLEANING COMPOUND.**

**COMPANY ADDRESS:**

BetzDearborn Inc., Water Management Group  
200 Witmer Road, Horsham, PA 19044  
Information phone number: 215 773-6269

**EMERGENCY TELEPHONE (HEALTH/ACCIDENT): (800)-877-1940 (USA)**

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**2) COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Information for specific product ingredients as required by the U.S. OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD is listed. Refer to additional sections of this MSDS for our assessment of the potential hazards of this formulation.

**HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS:**

CAS#

CHEMICAL NAME

TRADE SECRET INGREDIENT (P195); TSRH 125438 - 5113P  
Irritant (eyes)

TRADE SECRET INGREDIENT (122); ; TSRH 125438 - 5214P  
Potential irritant (eyes)

TRADE SECRET INGREDIENT (222); TSRH 125438 - 5238P  
Oxidizer; corrosive; pulmonary damage; dental  
erosion

No component is considered to be a carcinogen by the National Toxicology Program, the International Agency for Research on Cancer, or the Occupational Safety and Health Administration at OSHA thresholds for carcinogens.



### 3) HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

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**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

#### **DANGER**

May cause slight irritation to the skin. Corrosive to the eyes.  
Mists/aerosols may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract.

DOT hazard: Corrosive to steel  
Emergency Response Guide #154  
Color: Acid; Appearance: Yellow To Amber, Liquid

Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (full face-piece type). Proper fire-extinguishing media: dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foam or water

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#### **POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS**

##### **ACUTE SKIN EFFECTS:**

Primary route of exposure: May cause slight irritation to the skin.

##### **ACUTE EYE EFFECTS:**

Corrosive to the eyes.

##### **ACUTE RESPIRATORY EFFECTS:**

Primary route of exposure; Mists/aerosols may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract.

##### **INGESTION EFFECTS:**

May cause severe irritation or burning of the gastrointestinal tract.

##### **TARGET ORGANS:**

Prolonged or repeated exposures may cause toxicity to the lung.

##### **MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED:**

Not known.

##### **SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:**

May cause redness or itching of skin.

#### 4) FIRST AID MEASURES

**SKIN CONTACT:**

Remove contaminated clothing. Wash exposed area with a large quantity of soap solution or water for 15 minutes.

**EYE CONTACT:**

Immediately flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Immediately contact a physician for additional treatment.

**INHALATION:**

Remove victim from contaminated area to fresh air. Apply appropriate first aid treatment as necessary.

**INGESTION:**

Do not feed anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsive victim. Do not induce vomiting. Immediately contact physician. Dilute contents of stomach using 3-4 glasses milk or water.

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#### 5) FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS:**

Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (full face-piece type).

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:**

dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foam or water

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:**

Thermal decomposition (destructive fires) yields elemental oxides.

**FLASH POINT:**

> 200F P-M(CC)

**MISCELLANEOUS:**

Corrosive to steel

UN3264;Emergency Response Guide #154

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#### 6) ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**PROTECTION AND SPILL CONTAINMENT:**

Ventilate area. Use specified protective equipment. Contain and absorb on absorbent material. Place in waste disposal container.

Flush area with water. Wet area may be slippery. Spread sand/grit.

**DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

Water contaminated with this product may be sent to a sanitary sewer treatment facility, in accordance with any local agreement, a permitted waste treatment facility or discharged under a permit. Product as is - Incinerate or land dispose in an approved landfill.



## 7) HANDLING AND STORAGE

### HANDLING:

Contains an oxidizer. Avoid all contact with reducing agents, oils, greases, organics and acids. Corrosive to metal.

### STORAGE:

Keep containers closed when not in use. Use approved containers only. Store in cool, well-vented area. Contact with metals may release flammable hydrogen gas.

## 8) EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### EXPOSURE LIMITS

#### CHEMICAL NAME

TRADE SECRET INGREDIENT(E195);TSRN 125438 - 5118P  
PEL (OSHA): NOT DETERMINED  
TLV (ACGIH): NOT DETERMINED

TRADE SECRET INGREDIENT(122);TSRN 125438 - 5214P  
PEL (OSHA): NUISANCE DUST  
TLV (ACGIH): 5 MG/M3  
MISC: Note: manufacturer's recommended exposure limit: 10 mg/m3.

TRADE SECRET INGREDIENT(222);TSRN 125438 - 5238P  
PEL (OSHA): 5 MG/M3(10MG/M3-STEL)  
TLV (ACGIH): 5 MG/M3(10MG/M3-STEL)

### ENGINEERING CONTROLS:

Adequate ventilation to maintain air contaminants below exposure limits.

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

Use protective equipment in accordance with 29CFR 1910 Subpart I

#### RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

A RESPIRATORY PROTECTION PROGRAM THAT MEETS OSHA'S 29 CFR 1910.134 AND ANSI Z88.2 REQUIREMENTS MUST BE FOLLOWED WHENEVER WORKPLACE CONDITIONS WARRANT A RESPIRATOR'S USE.

USE AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATORS WITHIN USE LIMITATIONS ASSOCIATED WITH THE EQUIPMENT OR ELSE USE SUPPLIED AIR-RESPIRATORS.

An air-supplying respirator (positive pressure full facepiece) may be needed for this product.

#### SKIN PROTECTION:

neoprene gloves-- Wash off after each use. Replace as necessary.

#### EYE PROTECTION:

splash proof chemical goggles

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### 9) PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Specific Grav. (70F)	1.143	Vapor Pressure (mmHG)	~ 18.0
Freeze Point (F)	26.00	Vapor Density (air=1)	< 1.00
Viscosity (cps 70F)	ND	* Solubility (water)	100.0

Odor	Acid
Appearance	Yellow To Amber
Physical State	Liquid
Flash Point (F)	> 200 P-M(CC)
pH As Is (approx.)	< 1.0
Evaporation Rate (Ether=1)	< 1.00

NA = not applicable ND = not determined

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### 10) STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**STABILITY:**

Stable under normal storage conditions.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:**

Will not occur.

**INCOMPATIBILITIES:**

May react with strong oxidizers.

**DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:**

Thermal decomposition (destructive fires) yields elemental oxides.

**BETZ INTERNAL PUMPOUT/CLEANOUT CATEGORIES:**

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### 11) TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Oral LD50 RAT:	>5,000 mg/kg
NOTE - Estimated value	
Dermal LD50 RABBIT:	>5,000 mg/kg
NOTE - Estimated value	
Ames Assay :	Negative
Non-Ames Mutagenicity :	Pos/Neg

## 12) ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### AQUATIC TOXICOLOGY

Rainbow Trout 96 Hour Static Acute Bioassay

LC50: 240 mg/L

Daphnia magna 48 Hour Static Acute Bioassay

LC50: 1000 mg/L

Bluegill Sunfish 96 Hour Static Acute Bioassay

LC50: 340 mg/L

### BIODEGRADATION

COD (mg/gm): 597

TOC (mg/gm): 272

BOD-5 (mg/gm): 520

BOD-28 (mg/gm): 686

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## 13) DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

If this undiluted product is discarded as a waste, the US RCRA hazardous waste identification number is :  
D002=Corrosive(pH, steel).

) Please be advised; however, that state and local requirements for waste disposal may be more restrictive or otherwise different from federal regulations. Consult state and local regulations regarding the proper disposal of this material.

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## 14) TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT HAZARD:

Corrosive to steel

HM / NA NUMBER:

UN3264

DOT EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDE #: 154

### 15) REGULATORY INFORMATION

**TSCA:**

All components of this product are listed in the TSCA inventory.

**CERCLA AND/OR SARA REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ):**

6,109 gallons due to (122); 10,507 gallons due to (222);

**SARA SECTION 312 HAZARD CLASS:**

Immediate(acute); Delayed(Chronic)

**SARA SECTION 302 CHEMICALS:**

CAS#

CHEMICAL NAME

TRADE SECRET(222)--INORGANIC ACID

**SARA SECTION 313 CHEMICALS:**

CAS#

CHEMICAL NAME

TRADE SECRET(222)--INORGANIC ACID RANGE 0.1-1.0%

### CALIFORNIA REGULATORY INFORMATION

**CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT (PROPOSITION 65) CHEMICALS PRESENT:**

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

### MICHIGAN REGULATORY INFORMATION

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

### 16) OTHER INFORMATION

**NFPA/HMIS**

**CODE TRANSLATION**

Health	3	Serious Hazard
Fire	1	Slight Hazard
Reactivity	0	Minimal Hazard
Special	CORR	No translation
(1) Protective Equipment	B	Goggles, Gloves

(1) refer to section 8 of MSDS for additional protective equipment recommendations.

### CHANGE LOG

	EFFECTIVE DATE	REVISIONS TO SECTION:	SUPERCEDES
MSDS status:	11-FEB-1997		** NEW **
	25-FEB-1997	12	11-FEB-1997
	28-FEB-1997	16	25-FEB-1997