RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

PHYSICIAN'S OPINION LETTER -- MEDICAL RESPIRATOR CERTIFICATION

(This top section is to be completed by the employee/applicant who later signs below)

Employee Name: _____

Date: _____

Division: _____

Site Location: _____

(This middle section is to be completed by a physician or health care professional)

I HAVE EXAMINED THE ABOVE NAMED APPLICANT/EMPLOYEE AND FIND AS FOLLOWS:

_____The examination indicated no significant medical impairment. The employee/applicant can be assigned any work consistent with skills and training and may use protective clothing and a negative pressure air-purifying respirator.

_____The examination indicates that a medical impairment currently exists that limits respirator use as follows:

_____ The employee/applicant cannot wear a negative air purifying respiration

_____ The employee/applicant can wear a negative air purifying respirator only under these conditions:

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_____ The applicant/employee should be reevaluated in ( ) year(s).

Note: If not otherwise stipulated, as stated in RI DEM's policy, the employee/applicant will be reevaluated every 5 years.

I HAVE INFORMED THE APPLICANT/EMPLOYEE OF PERTINENT RESULTS AND FINDING OF THIS EXAMINATION AND A COPY OF THIS OPINION LETTER HAS BEEN ISSUED TO HIM/HER.

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Physicians/Health Care Professional Signature Date

Address: _____ Telephone Number: _____

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Employee/Applicant Signature – certifying receipt of a copy of this letter

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RIDEM – Office of Human Resources Date