



## Appendix 2 Verification Monitoring Results

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**RE-VERIFICATION MONITORING AT 62 MARLPOOL DRIVE, REDDITCH**

**1. Introduction**

- 1.1 Ground-Gas Solutions Limited (GGS) has been commissioned by Sinclair Knight Merz Pty Limited (SKM Enviros) to undertake high frequency ground-gas monitoring of the sub-floor void (SFV) of No. 62 Marlpool Drive, Redditch following the installation of a positive pressure gas protection system. The initial verification between 1<sup>st</sup> November 2011 and 15<sup>th</sup> November 2011 showed methane concentrations were well below the trigger level set by SKM Enviros, however carbon dioxide concentrations were close to the trigger level for a large proportion of the monitoring period with occasional periods above the trigger level. The average concentration of the monitoring period for carbon dioxide was 1.1% v/v. The 8 hour average during the monitoring period in which the most elevated concentrations were observed was 1.59% v/v.
- 1.2 Prestige Air Technology Limited have rebalanced and adjusted the positive pressure gas protection system following these results. GGS have been commissioned to undertake a re-verification of the property to confirm that bulk ground-gas concentrations have decreased to below the SKM trigger levels following the systems adjustment.
- 1.3 This factual letter report summarises the findings of the continuous bulk ground gas re-verification monitoring undertaken at the property.

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## 2. Methodology

- 2.1 GGS employed continuous ground gas monitoring techniques using high resolution GasClam<sup>®</sup> instrumentation at the site. The GGS high resolution GasClam<sup>®</sup> device was installed on the 21<sup>st</sup> February 2012 and collected 6<sup>th</sup> March 2012. The serial number of the GasClam<sup>®</sup> device deployed was 000004/11/09. This instrument was checked for operation and has a valid calibration certificate (dated 24<sup>th</sup> October 2011).
- 2.2 The GasClam<sup>®</sup> device has been specially equipped with high resolution gas sensors for methane (CH<sub>4</sub>) and carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), along with a gas sensor for oxygen (O<sub>2</sub>). Atmospheric pressure was also monitored.
- 2.3 Data analysis involved converting raw data files downloaded from the GasClam<sup>®</sup> device into excel spread sheets. The raw data was plotted as time-series data, showing gas concentrations and atmospheric pressure plotted against time. The Time-series graph is included at the end of the letter report.

### 3. Results

3.1 A summary of the GasClam<sup>®</sup> results from the sub-floor void are shown in Table 3.1 below, showing the minimum and maximum gas concentrations and atmospheric pressure.

Measurand	Concentrations	
	Min	Max
CH <sub>4</sub> (% v/v)	0.001	0.052
CO <sub>2</sub> (% v/v)	0.054	0.341
O <sub>2</sub> (% v/v)	18.6	19.7
Atmospheric Pressure (millibars)	998	1013

Note - % v/v = percentage by volume

**Table 3.1** Summary of GasClam<sup>®</sup> results for the sub-floor void

3.2 SKM Enviros have set the following bulk gas trigger levels:

- Methane 1.0% v/v
- Carbon Dioxide 1.5% v/v

3.3 The methane and carbon dioxide concentrations recorded at No. 62 Marlpool Drive are now consistently below the trigger levels set by SKM Enviros.



#### 4. Limitations

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The full time-series data set and equipment calibration certificates will be included in the Final GGS Verification DataPack™ which will be submitted on completion of the verification monitoring of all remediated properties which form part of this particular contract.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely



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Enc. Time Series Graph

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## Time Series Graph

# Time Series Data:62 Marlpool Drive, Redditch, (external sub-floor monitoring point)

