5 November 2001 Session 2, 10:30 a.m.

Title: Eichrom's Users' Group Workshop

The Pursuit of Continuous Improvement; Methods, Product Quality

Chairperson: Lawrence E. Jassin, Eichrom Technologies, Inc. Time and Date: 10:15 A.M.-12:00 Noon, November 5, 2001

Eichrom Technologies is a manufacturer of a wide variety of separation technologies, including extraction chromatographic materials, HPLC products, selective ion exchange resins and diagnostic tests. The extraction chromatographic materials are widely used for the separation of actinides, rare earth elements, radium, technetium, strontium, nickel, iron, and tritium from environmental, bioassay, process, and waste samples prior to measurement.

This year's workshop will focus on a number of changes in our methods and the quality control of our products that are having, or will soon have, a positive impact on your laboratory's performance. Topics will include: improvements made to quality control specifications for our ion exchange resins and Pb Resin, improvements made to our TEVA Resin Disc, improvements made to our Americium procedure, and updates on other method development work.

At the time of the writing of this abstract, we are still putting our final agenda together. The above is a glimpse of the real-world radiochemistry discussion planned for our workshop. As always, attendees to our workshop will receive a binder containing the overheads used during the presentations for future reference. We also will upload these presentations to our web site, http://www.eichrom.com.