

## December 2013 Air Quality Summary Report

**Licence Number: 13336**

**Licensee: Barangaroo Delivery Authority**

**Licensee Address: Lvl 21, 201 Kent Street, Sydney**

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## Barangaroo South

This report has been compiled to summarise results of air quality monitoring at Barangaroo South in December 2013 in accordance with [EPL number 13336](#). This data is for samples taken from 1 to 31 December 2013. The data was provided to the Barangaroo Delivery Authority (the Licencee) on 20 January 2014.

Lend Lease conducts continuous air quality monitoring at Barangaroo South to measure air quality and assist the construction team implement appropriate environmental controls on site.

Air quality monitoring is carried out in accordance with all relevant authority and statutory requirements. Monitoring parameters include lead, metallic compounds, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons, total solid particles, particulate matter less than 10 microns (PM10), and volatile organic compounds.

## Location of ambient air quality monitors

Ambient air quality monitoring devices are located at four locations around the site as shown below:



*Approximate locations of air monitoring equipment*

These locations correspond to the following licenced monitoring locations:

- Northern: EPL Point 5
- Eastern: EPL Point 8
- Southern: EPL Point 13
- Water Treatment Plant Air Quality: EPL Point 17
- SISCO Air Quality: EPL Point 18 (close to EPL Point 8)

EPL Points 14, 15 & 16 have not been monitored to date, as they are associated with works that have not commenced. EPL Point 18 was not required for this stage of the works as the remediation trial has been completed.

## Monitoring results

During December 2013 construction activities were undertaken in accordance with relevant management plans. General controls implemented during this reporting period included:

- Water cart spraying and road sweeping.
- Use of dust buster on bulk excavation, and spraying at other dust generating activities.
- Covering loads and stockpiles as appropriate.
- Housekeeping to keep exposed areas to a minimum.
- Ongoing monitoring of air and odour quality.

## Metallic Compounds (including Lead)

Date	Monitoring Location	Concentration ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )							
		Arsenic	Cadmium	Chromium	Copper	Nickel	Zinc	Lead	Mercury
5 Dec 2013	EPL point 5	0.0004	<0.0003	0.0041	0.0104	0.0100	0.0047	0.0377	<0.0005
	EPL point 8	0.0006	<0.0003	0.0060	0.0225	0.0092	0.0089	0.0856	<0.0005
	EPL point 13	0.0006	<0.0003	0.0053	0.0154	0.0051	0.0080	0.0823	<0.0005
11 Dec 2013	EPL point 5	0.0003	<0.0003	0.0049	0.0267	0.0066	0.0064	0.0476	<0.0005
	EPL point 8	<0.0003	<0.0003	0.0053	0.0310	0.0044	0.0088	0.0978	<0.0005
	EPL point 13	0.0003	<0.0003	0.0050	0.0234	0.0030	0.0082	0.0621	<0.0005
17 Dec 2013	EPL point 5	0.0004	<0.0003	0.0057	0.0157	0.0026	0.0092	0.0409	<0.0005
	EPL point 8	0.0006	<0.0003	0.0054	0.0200	0.0023	0.0077	0.0712	<0.0005
	EPL point 13	0.0004	<0.0003	0.0051	0.0126	0.0020	0.0063	0.0423	<0.0005
23 Dec 2013	EPL point 5	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	EPL point 8	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	EPL point 13	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
29 Dec 2013	EPL Point 5	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	EPL Point 8	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	EPL Point 13	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
EPL Point 5 Annual Avg		-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0069	-
EPL Point 8 Annual Avg		-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0097	-
EPL Point 13 Annual Avg		-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0068	-

\* EPL Point 13 was shut down due to relocation and lack of access

## Total Solid Particles (TSP)

Date	EPL Point 5 ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )	EPL Point 8 ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )	EPL Point 13 ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )
5 December 2013	66.1	75.5	74.3
11 December 2013	87.2	103	86.5
17 December 2013	94.8	77.1	58.2
23 December 2013	*	*	*
29 December 2013	*	*	*

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## PM10

Monitoring Parameter	EPL Point 5 ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )	EPL Point 8 ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )	EPL Point 13 ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )
Average	29.7	32.6	27.6
Minimum (24hr)	12.6	9.0	10.1
Maximum (24hr)	37.0	56.1	48.0

## Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAH)

Date	EPL Point 5 ( $\text{ng}/\text{m}^3$ )		EPL Point 8 ( $\text{ng}/\text{m}^3$ )		EPL Point 13 ( $\text{ng}/\text{m}^3$ )	
	Total PAH	Benzo(a) pyrene	Total PAH	Benzo(a) pyrene	Total PAH	Benzo(a) pyrene
5 December 2013	0.31	<0.062	0.54	<0.062	0.39	<0.062
11 December 2013	0.22	<0.062	0.53	<0.062	0.36	<0.062
17 December 2013	0.60	<0.062	0.82	<0.063	0.71	0.07
23 December 2013	*	*	*	*	*	*
29 December 2013	*	*	*	*	*	*

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## Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) – Ambient & WTP discharge

Monitoring Parameter	EPL Point			
	5	8	13	17
Monitoring Type	Ambient	Ambient	Ambient	WTP emission
Average (ppm)	*	*	*	0.01
Minimum (ppm)	*	*	*	0.0
Maximum (ppm)	*	*	*	4.79
Limit	No licence limit, monitoring requirement only			20 $\text{mg}/\text{m}^3$ (10.2ppm)
Number of Exceedences	N/A	N/A	N/A	0

\* The VOCs were continuously monitored with existing RaeGuard monitors, however the VOC data for all stations is considered invalid due to faulty PID instruments.

## Frequency

Parameter	Frequency	EPL Point			
		5	8	13	17
TSP, PAHs, metallic compounds	Monitoring frequency required by licence	24 Hours every 6 days			NA
	No. of samples required by licence	5	5	5	NA
	No. of samples collected & analysed	3	3	3	NA
PM10, VOCs	Monitoring frequency required by licence	Continuous			
	No. of samples required by licence				
	No. of samples collected & analysed				