

## Section [ \_\_\_\_\_ ] Stormwater Catch Basin Filtration Device

### **PART 1 – GENERAL**

#### 01.01.00 Purpose

The purpose of this specification is to establish generally acceptable criteria for devices used for filtration of stormwater runoff captured by catch basins with grates. It is intended to serve as a guide to producers, distributors, architects, engineers, contractors, plumbers, installers, inspectors, agencies and users; to promote understanding regarding materials, manufacture and installation; and to provide for identification of devices complying with this specification.

#### 01.02.00 Description

Stormwater Catch Basin Filtration Devices (SCBFD) are used to filter stormwater runoff captured by catch basins. The SCBFD is a filter system composed of a SCBFD with a media filtration storm boom. SCBFDs are used to remove various pollutants from stormwater by means of screening, separation and media filtration.

#### 01.03.00 Manufacturer

The manufacturer of the SCBFD shall be one that is regularly engaged in the engineering, design and production of systems developed for the treatment of stormwater runoff for at least (10) years, and which have a history of successful production, acceptable to the engineer of work. In accordance with the drawings, the SCBFD(s) shall be a filter device manufactured/distributed by Bio Clean Environmental Services, Inc., or assigned distributors or licensees. Bio Clean Environmental Services, Inc. can be reached at:

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#### 01.04.00 Submittals

- 01.04.01 Submittal drawings will be provided with each order to the contractor and engineer of work.
- 01.04.02 Submittal drawings are to detail the SCBFD, its components and the sequence for installation, including:
- SCBFD configuration with primary dimensions
  - Various SCBFD components
  - Any accessory equipment
- 01.04.03 Inspection and maintenance documentation submitted upon request.

#### 01.05.00 Work Included

- 01.05.01 Specification requirements for installation of SCBFD.
- 01.05.02 Manufacturer to supply SCBFD(s):
- Filter Basket
  - Media Filtration Storm Boom

01.05.03 Media Filtration Boom shall be provided with each Filter Basket housed in nylon netting and securely fastened entrance to the Filtration basket. Each media boom shall contain polymer beads to permanently absorb hydrocarbons.

### 01.06.00 Reference Standards

ASTM A 240	Standard Specification for Chromium and Chromium-Nickel Stainless Steel Plate, Sheet, and Strip for Pressure Vessels and for General Applications
ASTM F 716	Testing Sorbent Performance of Absorbents
ASTM F 726	Sorbent Performance of Absorbents
ASTM D3787 - 07	Standard Test Method for Bursting Strength of Textiles-Constant-Rate-of-Traverse (CRT) Ball Burst Test
ASTM D2690-98	Standard Test Method for Isophthalic Acid in Alkyd and Polyester Resins
ASTM C 582-02	Standard Specification for Contact-Molded Reinforced Thermosetting Plastic (RTP) Laminates for Corrosion-Resistant Equipment
ASTM D 638	Standard Test Method for Tensile Properties of Plastics
ASTM D 790	Standard Test Methods for Flexural Properties of Unreinforced and Reinforced Plastics and Electrical Insulating Materials
ASTM D 648	Standard Test Method for Deflection Temperature of Plastics Under Flexural Load in the Edgewise Position
ASTM D 2583	Standard Test Method for Indentation Hardness of Rigid Plastics by Means of a Barcol Impressor
ASTM D 4097	Standard Specification for Contact-Molded Glass-Fiber-Reinforced Thermoset Resin Corrosion-Resistant Tanks
ASTM D3409	Standard Test Method for Adhesion of Asphalt-Roof Cement to Damp, Wet, or Underwater Surfaces
IFI 114	Break Mandrel Blind Rivets

## **PART 2 – COMPONENTS**

### 02.01.00 Filter Basket Components

All SCBFD components must be made of stainless steel, per these specifications. SCBFD's containing any fabrics or plastics will not be accepted.

- 02.01.01 Filter Housing shall be manufactured of 100% stainless steel.
- 02.02.02 Side Screens shall be manufactured of 100% stainless steel louver expanded metal with openings equal to or less than 4.7 mm in size.
- Screens shall be oriented with openings opposite to the flow of water into the filter and be non-clogging based on perpetual deflective shielding.
- 02.02.03 Bottom Screens shall be manufactured of 100% stainless steel perforated round openings less than 5 mm in size.
- 02.02.04 Media Filtration Boom shall be made up of granulated oil absorbing polymers that have been tested in accordance with section 11.2 of ASTM F 716.07 and held within a netting.
- Oil absorbing polymers must be proven to absorb 180% of its weight within a 300 second contact time, and at this absorption percentage the physical increase in the size of the granules is not more than 50%.

- Netting shall be 100% polyester with a number 16 sieve size, and strength tested per ASTM D 3787.
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## **PART 3 – PERFORMANCE**

### **03.01.00 General**

- 03.01.01      Function - The SCBFD has no moving internal components and functions based on gravity flow, unless otherwise specified. Runoff enters the SCBFD from a catch basin with a grate opening and flows downward into the SCBFD. This SCBFD shall be positioned directly under the catch basin grate. After removal of the grate the SCBFD must be able to be removed through the catch basin opening without any further disassembly Stormwater enters the inside of the Filter Basket and flows downward toward the bottom portion of the Basket. The non-clogging screen has openings that are facing upward. As water flows downward the screening continuously removes debris from the screen’s surface. Flowing water also makes contact with the Media Filtration Boom which absorbs free floating oils. Stormwater flow up to the peak treatment flow rate is processed through the filtration screens. During the heaviest flows the Basket fills with water and spills out the internal bypass and into the bottom of the catch basin.
- 03.01.02      Pollutants - The SCBFD will remove and retain debris, sediments, metals, nutrients, oxygen demanding substances and hydrocarbons entering the catch basin during frequent storm events and specified flow rates. For pollutant removal performance see section 03.02.00.
- 03.01.03      Treatment Flow Rate - The SCBFD operates using gravity flow. The SCBFD treatment flow rate varies by size and is provided on the drawings for each model. Flow rates must be supported by independent lab results.
- 03.01.04      Bypass Flow Rate – The SCBFD is designed to fit within the catch basin in a way not to affect the existing hydraulics and treat or bypass all flows. The bypass must be sized with a surface area greater then the outlet pipe size, thus the SCBFD shall not be a critical point of flow restriction. Bypass flow rate must be based on the SCBFD’s inlet throat or bypass orifice capacity, which ever is less.
- 03.01.05      Pollutant Load – The SCBFD must be designed to have minimum storage capacity as documented on the drawing for each particular size and model.
- 03.01.06
- 03.01.07      Performance Protocol and Results – All lab testing on filtration media must be performed by an independent third party consultant and testing lab.

### **03.02.00 Test Performance**

At a minimum, the SCBFD shall be tested, according to section 03.01.06, and meet these performance specifications:

03.02.01      Filter Pollutant Removal Table

POLLUTANT	REMOVAL EFFICIENCY
Trash and Debris - (down to 5 mm)	100%

## **PART 4 - EXECUTION**

### **04.01.00 General**

The installation and use of the SCBFD shall conform to all applicable national, state, municipal and local specifications.

### **04.02.00 Installation**

The contractor shall furnish all labor, equipment, materials and incidentals required to install the (SCBFD) device(s) and appurtenances in accordance with the drawings, installation manual, and these specifications, and be inspected and approved by the local governing agency. Installation contractor should possess a Confined Space Entry Certification Permit, pursuant to OSHA standards. Any damage to catch basin and surrounding infrastructure caused by the installation of the SCBFD is the responsibility of the installation contractor.

- 04.02.01 Filter Basket and all components or accessories shall be inserted through the catch basin and properly secured per manufactures installation manual and these specifications.

### **04.03.00 Shipping, Storage and Handling**

- 04.03.01 Shipping – SCBFD shall be shipped to the contractor’s address and is the responsibility of the contractor to transport the unit(s) to the exact site of installation.
- 04.03.02 Storage and Handling– The contractor shall exercise care in the storage and handling of the SCBFD(s) and its components prior to and during installation. Any repair or replacement costs associated with events occurring after delivery is accepted, and unloading has commenced shall be born by the contractor. The SCBFD(s) and its components shall always be stored indoors and transported inside the original shipping container(s) until the SCBFD(s) are ready to be installed. The SCBFD shall always be handled with care and lifted according to OSHA and NIOSA lifting recommendations and/or contractor’s workplace safety professional recommendations.

### **04.04.00 Maintenance and Inspection**

- 04.04.01 Inspection – After installation, the contractor shall demonstrate that the SCBFD has been properly installed at the correct location(s), elevations, and with appropriate supports and fasteners. All components associated with the SCBFD and its installation shall be subject to inspection by the engineer of work, governing agency, and the manufacture at the place of installation. In addition, the contractor shall demonstrate that the SCBFD has been installed per the manufacturer’s specifications and recommendations. SCBFD(s) shall be physically inspected regularly in accordance to owner’s Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plans (SWPPP) and manufacture’s recommendations. An inspection record shall be kept by the inspection operator. The record shall include the condition of the SCBFD and its appurtenances. The most current copy of the inspection record shall always be copied and placed in the owner’s SWPPP.
- 04.04.02 Maintenance – The manufacturer recommends cleaning and debris removal and replacement of the Media Filtration Boom as needed. The maintenance shall be preformed by someone qualified. A Maintenance Manual is available upon request from the manufacturer. The manual has detailed information

- 04.04.03 regarding the maintenance of the SCBFD(s). A detailed Maintenance Record shall be kept by the maintenance operator. The Maintenance Record shall include any maintenance activities performed, amount and description of debris collected, and the condition of the filter. The most current copy of the Maintenance Record shall always be copied and placed in the owner's Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) per governing agency.
- Material Disposal - All debris, trash, organics, and sediments captured and removed from the SCBFD shall be transported and disposed of at an approved facility for disposal in accordance with local and state regulations. Please refer to state and local regulations for the proper disposal of toxic and non-toxic material.

## **PART 5 – QUALITY ASSURANCE**

### **05.01.00 Warranty**

The manufacturer shall guarantee the SCBFD against all manufacturing defects in materials and workmanship for a period of (5) years from the date of delivery to the contractor. The manufacturer shall be notified of repair or replacement issues in writing within the warranty period. The SCBFD is limited to recommended application for which it was designed.

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