

Questions & Answers
Petroleum Quality IFB 2013

Question: Can a bigger map of the courier runs be provided.

Answer: Yes, see attached.

Question: In regards to the test protocol for Gasoline D2622 for Sulfur, can we run D5453 correlated to D2622?

Answer: In accordance with D4814 we would accept this test method.

Question: On page nine of the IFB there is a discrepancy on number of days the samples are to be retained, nine or (10)?

Answer: Samples are to be retained for (10) business days.

Question: Is there a standard for the bidder quality system?

Answer: In order to be considered the bidder must have a quality system in place (e.g. ISO 9000). Other quality systems may also be accepted.

Question: Is documentation required as proof of good standing with the US Environmental Protection Agency?

Answer: No.

Question: The IFB calls for a (3) day turn around for sample results, is this a hard number?

Answer: Results are expected in (3) days but occasional delays are expected. We do not expect delays to happen regularly.

Question: What days are pick-ups scheduled on?

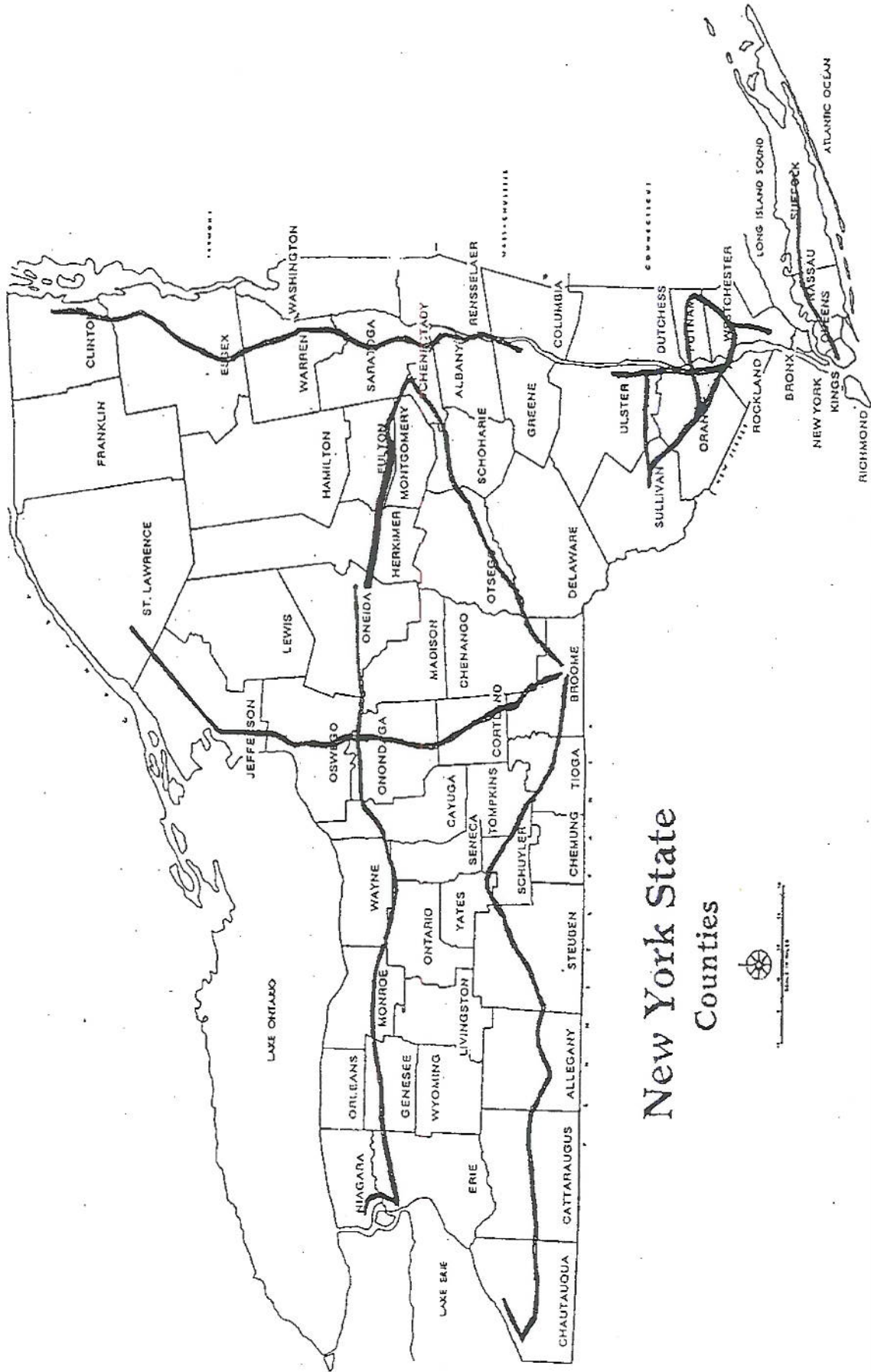
Answer: Pick-ups are scheduled Tuesday through Thursday. Occasional Friday pick-ups are scheduled if needed to make up for a canceled pick-up.

Question: Are pick-ups ever canceled due to inclement weather?

Answer: Yes, safety of our officials and the driver comes first.

Question: Can the laboratory charge for re-tests? Will the laboratory be notified when re-tests are needed?

Answer: Yes to both questions. We would also expect notification if the laboratory finds a sample far outside normal parameters.



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