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Michael Krause (Mike) is a Senior Industrial Hygiene Consultant with Veritox<sup>®</sup>, Inc. Mr. Krause has more than 30 years of widespread experience practicing industrial hygiene, first through employment within OSHA, the insurance industry, and aerospace manufacturing; then providing private consultation, sampling, and training services to a wide variety of clients.

Mr. Krause holds a Master of Science degree in Public Health (MSPH) in the subspecialty of Industrial Hygiene and Safety from the University of Washington. He is a Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH) and a Registered Occupational Hygienist (ROH, a Canadian designation). He also holds a certificate as a Texas Mold Assessment Consultant (MAC).

Mr. Krause has provided industrial hygiene (IH) assessments, worker exposure sampling, exposure modeling, control recommendations, and training for regulatory compliance purposes, to address employees' concerns, and to minimize risk. He has provided consultation to heavy industries such as aerospace, metals, and wood products, and has assisted insurers and insureds, schools and universities, building owners and managers, contractors, utilities, hospitals, labor unions, and government agencies.

Mr. Krause has particular experience in monitoring chromium, solvents, and formaldehyde exposures, performing noise testing in various workplaces, and providing indoor air quality (IAQ) and mold assessment services. He has provided consultation regarding asbestos and lead paint abatement. He has investigated issues involving E. coli, Legionella, hypersensitivity pneumonitis (HP), and odor-causing microorganisms.

Mike has provided litigation support and has testified in deposition and in court. He has particular experience in cases involving mold and bacterial growth, sewer spills, asbestos, silica, and noise. He has conducted original research, presented results, and written articles to support professional opinions. He has been asked to assist in legal cases involving exposure to benzene, fiberglass, lead, and indoor pollutants.

Mr. Krause is a full member of the American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA). He currently serves on the AIHA Noise Committee and the AIHA Nanotechnology Task Force.