

“If any CB (Table 1) is found in the blank at greater than two times the minimum level (Table 2) or one-third the regulatory compliance limit, whichever is greater; or if any potentially interfering compound is found in the blank at the minimum level for each CB given in Table 2 (assuming a response factor of 1 relative to the quantitation reference in Table 2 at that level of chlorination for a potentially interfering compound; i.e., a compound not listed in this Method), analysis of samples must be halted until the sample batch is re-extracted and the extracts re-analyzed, and the blank associated with the sample batch shows no evidence of contamination at these levels. All samples must be associated with an uncontaminated Method blank before the results for those samples may be reported or used for permitting or regulatory compliance purposes.”