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May 13, 2004

USEPA Region 2  
Mr. Tim Gordon  
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Re: Transmittal of Draft Final Work Plan and Sampling and Analysis Plan for Soil and Groundwater Background Investigation for the Former Atlantic Fleet Weapons Training Facility (AFWTF), Vieques Island, Puerto Rico

Dear Mr. Gordon:

On behalf of the Navy, CH2M HILL is pleased to transmit three copies of the Draft Final Work Plan and Sampling and Analysis Plan for Soil and Background Investigation for the Former AFWTF, Vieques Island, Puerto Rico. Comments on the draft work plan were received from USEPA, the Puerto Rico Environmental Quality Board (PREQB), and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS). All of the comments have been addressed in this draft final work plan. Copies of this work plan have been sent to PREQB, USEPA Caribbean Office, USFWS, and the Navy.

Should you have any questions regarding the above, please do not hesitate to call Mr. Chris Penny at 757- 322-4815 or me at 813-874-6522 ext. 4307.

Sincerely,

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