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LETTER REGARDING FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
COMMENTS ON DRAFT PROPOSED PLAN FOR OPERABLE UNIT 12 (OU 12) SITE 44 NAS  
CECIL FIELD FL  
5/21/2002  
FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

May 21, 2002  
OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE

Commanding Officer  
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Dear Mr. Davidson:

I have completed my review of the Draft Proposed Plan for Operable Unit 12, Site 44, DRMO to Wastewater Treatment Plant, NAS Cecil Field, dated April 2002 (received April 29, 2002). The following comment should be addressed in the final document.

In the site description section of the report, it is stated that the excavated soil was disposed of at a permitted Treatment, Storage and Disposal Facility (TSDF). This is also stated in the section on Why No Further Action Was Selected. Disposal at a permitted TSDF implies that the excavated soil was either a characteristic or listed hazardous waste and that disposal was conducted in accordance with regulations regarding hazardous waste. However, based on the Source Removal Report and Technical Memorandum for No Further Action, I believe that the excavated soil was determined not to be hazardous waste and thus was disposed at a Subtitle D landfill. Please revise accordingly.

This electronic message is being sent in lieu of regular mail. If you have any questions concerning this review, please contact me at (850)921-9991.

Sincerely,

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