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LETTER AND MEMORANDUM REGARDING FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION APPROVAL OF FINAL FEASIBILITY STUDY REPORT FOR
OPERABLE UNIT 9 (OU 9) SITE 57 AND SITE 58 NAS CECIL FIELD FL
12/17/2002
FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION



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David B. Struhs
Secretary

December 17, 2002

Commanding Officer
Mr. Mark Davidson, Code ES339
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RE: Final Feasibility Study Report for Operable Unit 9, Sites 57
and 58, Naval Air Station Cecil Field, Jacksonville, Florida.

Dear Mr. Davidson:

The Department has completed its review of the Final Feasibility Study Report for Operable Unit 9, Sites 57 and 58, Naval Air Station Cecil Field, dated October 2002 (received October 4, 2002), prepared and submitted by Tetra Tech NUS, Inc. The document is suitable for its intent and is approved as final. I have attached a memorandum from Greg Brown, P.E., certifying that it also meets his approval.

If you have any concerns regarding this letter, please contact me at (850) 245-8997.

Sincerely,

David P. Grabka, P.G.
Remedial Project Manager

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Memorandum

Florida Department of Environmental Protection

TO: David P. Grabka, Remedial Project Manager, Technical Review Section

THROUGH: Tim Bahr, P.G., Supervisor, Technical Review Section ^B

FROM: Greg Brown, P.E., Professional Engineer II, ^{AB}
Technical Review Section

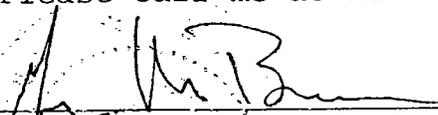
DATE: December 12, 2002

SUBJECT: Final Feasibility Study Report at OU 9, Site 57 and Site 58, Former Naval Air Station Cecil Field, Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida

I reviewed a draft version of the subject engineering document dated April 2002 (received April 15, 2002). I provided comments in a memorandum dated June 14, 2002, noting that the draft feasibility study was adequate for its intent. It provided a reasonable range of practical alternatives that give risk managers the opportunity to balance trade-offs between cost, effectiveness, and protectiveness. The final revision of the subject document dated October 2002 (received October 4, 2002) is also adequate for its intent.

In my professional judgment, the engineering features described in the engineering document, Feasibility Study Report for Operable Unit 9, Sites 57 and 58, Naval Air Station Cecil Field, Florida, submitted on behalf of the U.S. Navy by Tetra Tech, Inc., Authorization No. 7988, provide reasonable assurance of reducing exposure to applicable pollutants in soil and groundwater below quantities which may be potentially harmful or injurious to human health or welfare and animal or plant life in accordance with state criteria described in Chapter 376, F.S. Mr. Mark P. Speranza, Florida Professional Engineer No. 50304, is the engineer of record for this engineering document.

I have not evaluated and do not certify aspects of this engineering document that are outside the limits of my review responsibilities and outside my area of technical expertise (including but not limited to electrical, mechanical, and structural features). I personally completed this review. Please call me at me at (850) 245-8993 if you have questions.


Gregory M. Brown, P.E.
Professional Engineer No. 42194
Expires February 28, 2003

Date. 12/12/02

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