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LETTER AND COMMENTS FROM FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL  
PROTECTION REGARDING DRAFT INTERIM MEASURE PERFORMANCE  
SPECIFICATIONS GROUP 3 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS 23, 24 AND 25 NS  
MAYPORT FL  
6/30/1997  
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RE: Draft Interim Measure Performance Specifications, Group III SWMUs 23, 24 and 25, US  
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Dear David:

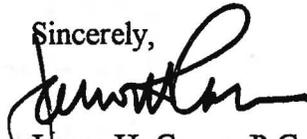
I have reviewed the subject draft Interim Measure Performance Specifications report dated February 1997 (received March 5, 1997). We have also discussed these projects at several partnering meetings. I agree that removal action should occur for the areas of SWMU 23 described as North of Building 54 and South of Buildings 55 and 57. I also agree that Removal actions not occur at SWMU 25 and at the former Target Range Backstop. Please address the following comments in preparing the final draft:

1. Please clearly state the line of responsibility in the removal actions. I am referring specifically to certification by signing and sealing the removal action by an appropriate professional engineer or geologist. In the past there has been some confusion and delay in adequately certifying similar removal actions.
2. Please remember that the Department considers the upper two feet of soil as surface soil unless more detailed information is presented which documents the degree of contamination (or lack thereof).
3. These sites are presently industrial in nature. The planned removal actions address areas of contamination that exceed industrial cleanup goals. Please understand that an industrial land use restriction must be applied to future use of these areas and to those areas not subject to removal action if contamination exceeded residential cleanup goals.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this sampling plan. If you have questions or require further clarification, please contact me at (904) 921-4230.

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Sincerely,



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