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LETTER REGARDING FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
REVIEW OF RESPONSE TO COMMENTS ON BUILDINGS 460, 1587 AND 1586 NS
MAYPORT FL
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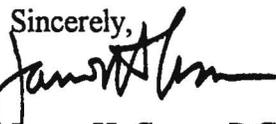
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RE: Response to FDEP Comments on Sites 460, 1587 and 1586, NAVSTA Mayport

Dear Ms. Washington,

I have reviewed above letter response dated November 13, 1998 (received November 17, 1998). In addition, I have met with Mr. Frank Lesesne of Harding Lawson and Associates (HLA) concerning the report. In the report, HLA has stated agreement with my prior comments on Building 460 and BEQ Building 1587; therefore a Remedial Action Plan should be prepared for each site, as I have stated previously. HLA did not concur with my previous comments concerning BEQ Building 1586; it was pointed out that the area where soil is contaminated is the area where soil had been previously removed and that it was felt that the soil contamination is caused by contaminated ground water movement with the natural fluctuations of the water table. Frank and I met with Mr. Tim Bahr, my Supervisor, and we agreed that the most prudent course of action was to pursue the "Monitoring for Natural Attenuation" option under Chapter 62-770.690, F.A.C. This was the course of action that was also recommended by HLA in the current letter response; therefore of a Site Assessment Report Addendum should be submitted for BEQ Building 1586 with justification and recommendation for "Monitoring for Natural Attenuation" status.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this document. If you need further clarification or other assistance, please contact me at (850) 921-4230.

Sincerely,

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