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LETTER REGARDING FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
APPROVAL OF RESPONSE TO COMMENTS ON SITE ASSESSMENT REPORT REVISION 1
FOR SITE 413 NS MAYPORT FL
4/22/2009
FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION



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RE: Response to Comments, Site Assessment Report, Revision 1, Site 413, Naval Station MAYPORT, EPA ID# FL9 170 024 260, Mayport, Florida (Tetra Tech NUS, Inc., October 9, 2008)

Dear Ms. Washington:

I have reviewed the subject document dated October 9, 2008 (received October 13, 2008). This letter document is Tetra Tech NUS, Incorporated's (Tetra Tech) response to FDEP comments that were made concerning this site's Site Assessment Report, Rev. 1 from March 2007. FDEP concurs with all of Tetra Tech's responses to FDEP comments. However, FDEP does not concur with Tetra Tech's recommendation to proceed to No Further Action (NFA) without controls at this time. Further documentation would be needed to satisfy Risk Management Option Level 1, NFA without controls, in 62-770. At a minimum, confirmatory soil samples would need to be collected to show no contaminants are above their Soil Cleanup Target Levels (SCTLs) and Leachability Criteria within the unsaturated zone. It is FDEP's understanding, due to recent Partnering Team Meeting discussions (from the February 3 and 4, 2009 meeting), that Tetra Tech is preparing a Site Rehabilitation Cleanup Report (SRCR) that will request NFA with conditions for the site. Knowing the use and analytical history of the site, and as long as nothing changes, FDEP will likely concur with this request.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this document. If you require additional clarification or other assistance please feel free to contact me at 850/245-8999.

Sincerely,

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