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LETTER AND CONCURRENCE FROM FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION REGARDING FINAL REPORT FOR ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENT USING
INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY/METHODOLOGY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNIT 15
(SWMU15) BUILDING 191 AREA NS MAYPORT FL
12/7/1998
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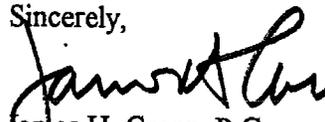
RE: Final Report - Additional Assessment Using Innovative Technology/Methodology at the SWMU 15 and Building 191 Area, U.S. Naval Station, Mayport, FL

Dear Ms. Wilson:

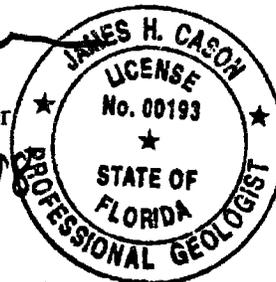
I have reviewed the above referenced document dated September 1998 (received October 6, 1998) which was prepared in cooperation with the Naval Environmental Leadership Program (NELP). The work conducted within this report has shown the usefulness of combining direct push wells and geophysical logging with conventional monitoring wells in assessing and furnishing additional scientific information at sites of contamination at Naval Station Mayport. As a result, the Mayport Partnering team has been able to speed up the acquisition of data at these sites and to help make the decision to continue the investigation of both Site 191 and the nearby Echo Pier site, and to monitor what is believed to be a release of arsenic from the soil to the ground water at SWMU 15. The report is a valuable addition to the information at both sites and is acceptable.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this document. If you need further clarification or any additional information, please feel free to contact me at 850-921-4250.

Sincerely,


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