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Southwest Division-Code 5MBE.LMH
1220 Pacific Highway
San Diego, CA 92132-5190

Subject: Completion of Tank Removal Project

RE: Marine Corps Air Station El Toro
Tank #T-8
Santa Ana, CA 92709

Dear Mr. Gould:

This is a response to your request for a confirmation of the completion of the tank removal project. With the provision that the results for the soil samples obtained during the tank removal on February 28, 2000 were accurate and representative of existing conditions, it is the position of this office that no significant soil contamination has occurred at the above noted facility location.

It should be pointed out that this letter does not relieve you of any responsibilities mandated under the California Health and Safety Code if additional or previously unidentified contamination is discovered at the subject site.

If you any questions regarding this matter, please contact Arghavan Rashidi-Fard at (714) 667-3713.

Sincerely,

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cc: Lynn Hornecker, SWDIV