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Re: MCAS EL TORO RI/FS RISK-BASED CONCENTRATIONS

Dear Mr. Hamill:

Prior to our next scheduled DQO meeting on 09 June, please review and provide concurrence or specific corrective comments on the Risk-Based Concentrations (RBCs) identified in Section 7 (preliminary baseline risk assessment) of the 07 May RI Phase 1 Technical Memo. The RBCs developed by the Navy through our consultant, CH2M Hill, are also discussed briefly in the Jacobs Engineering Group Inc memorandum to me from Liz Miesner and John Dolegowski of 20 May 93.

This request needs to be expedited because RBCs are used in the initial stage of the DQO process for selecting the Chemicals of Potential Concern (COPC) investigated in Phase 2 field work. The Navy's preference is to have a fully cooperative DQO process with all the agencies of the FFA. The Navy also understands that it is the lead agency in the development and implementation of the RI/FS program for MCAS El Toro.

During yesterday's FFA Managers meeting, Sebastian Tindall of Bechtel stated they had completed their initial review of section 7 of the Phase 1 Technical Memo. If you think there are any fatal flaws, please bring them to my attention next week.

The RBCs are based on the most recent EPA risk guidance criteria and take into account exposure pathways and routes; the RBCs can not be directly compared to the EPA's latest PRGs which are screening values only.

Please direct any questions that you may have concerning this request to me at 619/532-2532.

Sincerely,

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