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SUMMARY REPORT FOR SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNIT (SWMU) NUMBER
109, FORMER DRUM STORAGE AREA, MARINE CORPS AIR STATION (MCAS) EL
TORO

Dear Mr. Gould:

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) reviewed the above report dated December 21, 2001 and received by this office on December 31, 2001. The purpose of the report is to present information pertaining to a phantom or non-existent drum storage area, designated as SWMU 109.

The Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Facility Assessment (RFA) (July 16, 1993) identified SWMU 109 as a drum storage area at Building 379. Building 379 was constructed in 1953 as the office for the truck weighing facility. The truck scales were used until June 1999.

Historical Information collected on SWMU 109 include property records, environmental compliance management plans, aerial photographs, nearby existing buildings functions, and visual site inspections. During the site visit, the entire truck weighing facility area was visually inspected and no evidence of a drum storage area was located. There were no stains or other evidence observed to indicate the presence of a former drum storage area. Building 379 is located southeast of Building 314 where a temporary accumulation area was located. It is possible that this temporary accumulation area was incorrectly associated with Building 379.

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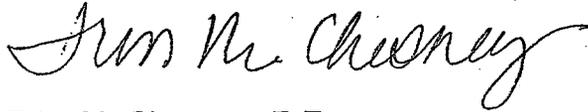
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Based on review of this report, DTSC concurs with the proposed phantom designation and deletion of SWMU 379.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (714) 484-5395.

Sincerely,



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