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May 4, 1995

Mr. Stephen Chao
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Re: *Revised Draft Final Operable Unit 1 Feasibility Study* Response to Comments,
dated April 10, 1995

Dear Mr. Chao,

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has received the subject response to comments and finds these responses satisfactory. The document should now be finalized. Please be sure to incorporate all changes from the response to comments in the final text. Thank you for facilitating review of this document by being available for conference calls and providing redline/strikeout versions of the changed text. This helped to move the process along. Because it is difficult to classify whether these landfills are solid waste landfills or hazardous waste landfills due to no disposal records and conflicting anecdotal and sampling information, EPA believes the Navy should refrain from labeling them solid waste landfills. As discussed in our conference call of 4/28/95, EPA agrees with the State of California's Integrated Waste Management Board that CCR Title 14 is applicable at this operable unit. This document should be finalized by May 15, 1995. If you have any questions, please call me at 415-744-2383.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Michael D. Gill".

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