



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Mr. Stephen Chao
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Engineering Field Activity, West
900 Commodore Way, Bldg. 101
San Bruno, CA. 94066-2402

Re: *Final Station-Wide Remedial Investigation Field Work Plan*, dated January 18, 1995

Dear Mr. Chao,

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has received the subject document and the associated response to comments. Although EPA approves the document as final, two additional comments need to be addressed. Section 3.1 discusses a weapons bunker area that is presently active (shown on Figure 5). Although no radiation surveys have been conducted in these areas, Lt. Col. Fred Francisco verbally stated that nuclear weapons components have never been stored in these weapons bunkers. For the record, please provide EPA with a written statement signed by Lt. Col. Francisco or his command regarding this issue. Second, Section 7.0 outlines a workplan schedule for dates that have already passed. In the future, either provide the agencies with enough time to review a workplan prior to the field activities or at least use the correct tense in describing the schedules. The agencies are willing to work with the Navy to be more efficient and expedite field work, but the documents describing this work need to correctly identify schedules. Call me at 415-744-2383 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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

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