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Oficina del Presidente - Piso 5  
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Re: DRAFT FINAL NO FURTHER ACTION REPORT FOR NINE SITES AT THE  
FORMER NAVAL AMMUNITION STORAGE DETACHMENT (MAY 2003)  
VIEQUES ISLAND, PUERTO RICO

Dear Mr. López:

The Navy submitted a Draft Final No Further Action Report for Nine Sites at the Former Naval Ammunition Storage Detachment, Vieques Island, Puerto Rico, to your office on May 30, 2003, for review and subsequent public review. It is our understanding that a public meeting was held in January 2004 regarding the subject document; however, no response back to the Navy has been received thus far. This report was also submitted to the EPA Region II. During the November 2003 CECRLA Technical Committee meeting attended by EPA and EQB, we received preliminary approval from EPA on this document. In addition, it is our understanding that EQB's comments on the Draft report have been adequately addressed; however, no official response has been received.

It is the Navy's intent to move forward with the preparation of a No Further Response Action Plan (NFRAP) for the nine sites identified in the subject report. Therefore, if you have any comments regarding this report, please submit them within 30 days. If no reply is received, we will proceed with the preparation of the NFRAP.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (757) 322-4736.

Sincerely,

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By direction of the Commander

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