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Mr. Orlando Monaco
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Re: Remedial Schedule for RI/FS at sites 12 & 17 & MMRP sites
Naval Air Station Brunswick, Maine

Dear Mr. Monaco:

Pursuant to subsection 7.6 of the Naval Air Station, Brunswick, Maine-Federal Facility Agreement (FFA), dated October 19, 1990, as amended, Maine Department of Environmental Protection (MEDEP) is requesting a modification to the FFA to add a Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study schedule pursuant to §13 (Deadlines) for the former EOD range (site 12), the building 95-former Pesticide Building (site 17), and MMRP Sites including the former Munitions Bunker West Area, the former Machine Gun Boresight Range, and the former Skeet Range. These areas were identified as significant new Site conditions pursuant to subsection 13.6, as a result of the second Five-Year Review and the Military Munitions Response Program (MMRP).

The Second Five-Year Review, (September 29, 2005) §§1.9 and 2.9 "Recommendations and Follow-up Actions", required the Navy to start further investigations and work at Sites 12 and 17 by the end of 2005. During the December technical meeting the stakeholders discussed the need for additional investigation at the MMRP sites and the extension of the scheduled sites 12 and 17 investigations. It was agreed by the stakeholders to start work in 2006, however, no deadlines were proposed during the meeting.

Therefore MEDEP is requesting the Navy provide a schedule for the 2006 investigation work plan and field work for Site 12, the 2006 removal action and subsequent report finalization for Site 17, and the final MMRP Preliminary Assessment report within 2 weeks of this letter. The schedule for the draft RI/FS, draft proposed plan, draft ROD, draft RD and draft RA should also be proposed at the same time for each area.

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Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Claudia Sait". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

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