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Mr. Orlando Monaco
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Re: Building 95, Monitoring Event 20 Report-September 2004
Naval Air Station, Brunswick, Maine

Dear Mr. Monaco:

The Maine Department of Environmental Protection (MEDEP) has reviewed the draft final "Monitoring Event 20 Report, September 2004, for Building 95, dated November 2004, prepared by Environmental Chemical Corporation. Based on that review MEDEP has the following comments and issues.

General Comments:

1. Please be sure that the final version of this and all other "geology" reports are stamped and signed by a Maine certified geologist as required by State of Maine Department of Professional and Financial Regulations, Title 32, Chapter 73 which prohibits the practice of geology or soil science without a certification.

Specific Comments:

2. Section 1.1, pg 1-1, para 2:

"A Long-Term Monitoring Plan (LTMP) was established pursuant to the Record of Decision (ABB-ESS 1994).

MEDEP is unaware of a Record of Decision for Building 95. Please check your source and revise this statement as necessary.

3. Section 1.6, pg 1-4:

It appears from references within this document that it was done in accordance with the November 2004 LTMP. If that is the case then the visual inspection section must include an inspection of the area for soil disturbance, new structures, or the removal and use of groundwater to ensure compliance with the institutional controls for this site (LTMP section

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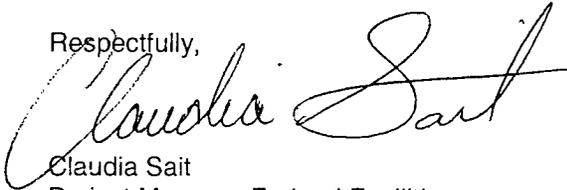
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3.1.5). Since there is a new kennel adjacent to the Building 95 site this should be noted in the document and possibly photographed for future reference. If ECC has not revised their field inspection forms to ensure compliance with institutional controls, it is recommended that they do so.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this report. If you have any questions or comments please call me at (207) 287-7713 or email me at claudia.b.sait@maine.gov.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Claudia Sait". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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