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MEMORANDUM

FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE TECHNICAL REVIEW COMMITTEE (TRC) FOR THE
INSTALLATION RESTORATION PROGRAM AT NAVAL WEAPONS INDUSTRIAL RESERVE
PLANT (NWIRP) CALVERTON, NEW YORK

Enclosed is the Navy's Draft RCRA Facility Assessment (RFA) Addendum
for NWIRP Calverton, NY. Please review the document and forward any
comments in writing on or before May 03, 1996.

The purpose of the RFA Addendum was to further investigate five areas
to determine if soil or groundwater contamination was present and to
recommend whether any of these areas should be retained under the
Navy's Installation Restoration (IR) Program for additional
investigations and/or remedial actions. The five areas investigated
were Site 8 - Coal Pile Storage Area; Site 9 - ECM Area; Site 10A -
Jet Fuel Systems Lab Cesspool Area; Site 10B - Engine Test House
Cesspool Area; and the Southern Area.

The urgency of this report came as a result of the Navy's goal to deed
over as much land as possible to the Town of Riverhead. The only
areas that will not be transferred are those areas that will remain
under the Navy's IR Program for further investigations or remedial
actions. The report concludes that the two Site 10 cesspool areas
should remain as part of the Navy's IR Program since sufficient
contamination was found to warrant additional investigations.

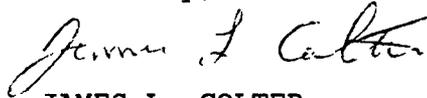
For the other areas listed within the report, no further action is
being recommended since they fall within one of three categories: (1)
no detectable contamination was identified; (2) contamination was
detected at concentrations that do not exceed State or Federal
criteria or; (3) contamination was detected at levels that exceed
State and Federal standards but no source areas were found and no
receptors to this contamination could be identified.

The course of action recommended for those areas that fall under the
third category will be to leave the chemicals in place and let them
naturally attenuate over time. These areas will be identified on the
appropriate transfer documents so as to inform the Town of Riverhead
of their presence and location.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please feel free to call me at (610) 595-0567, extension 163. If you would like to fax your comments, my fax number is (610) 595-0555.

Thank you for your continued interest and participation in NWIRP Calverton's IR program.

Sincerely,



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By direction of the
Commanding Officer

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