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LETTER AND U S EPA REGION IV COMMENTS ON PUBLIC HEALTH ASSESSMENT
INITIAL RELEASE FOR REVIEW MCB CAMP LEJEUNE NC
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Mr. Max M. Howie, Jr., Chief
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and Information Services Branch
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and Consolation
Agency for Toxic Substances
and Disease Registry
Mailstop E56
1600 Clifton Road
Atlanta, Georgia 30333

RE: Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina
Initial Release Public Health Assessment

Dear Mr. Howie:

Please find attached comments to the drinking water portion
of the Initial Release Public Health Assessment for Marine Corps
Base Camp Lejeune.

If you have any questions regarding these comments please
contact me at 347-2914 ext. 6478, or a member of your staff may
contact Ms. Jamie Klee at 347-2913 ext. 6487.

Sincerely yours,

Philip H. Vorsatz, Chief
Drinking Water Section
Municipal Facilities Branch

Enclosure

Comments to the Initial Release Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune

The highlighted text reflects additions and/or revisions to the original text.

1. Page 11, inset, last sentence: Lead can get into drinking water... lead-based solder, and brass faucets.
2. Appendix C-6, second paragraph, first sentence: Lead can get into drinking water...lead-based solder, and brass water faucets.
3. Page 74, third paragraph, second sentence: If ten percent of samples collected have lead levels that exceed 15 ppb, further sampling is required in the water distribution system and at the source. The results of this sampling are used to identify optimal water treatment for the reduction of lead at the consumer's tap. Recommendations for optimal water treatment are required to be submitted to the state for approval.