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19 February 1998

Mr. Philip Otis, P.E., Remedial Project Manager
US Department of the Navy, Northern Division
Code 18, Mail Stop #82
10 Industrial Highway
Lester, PA 19113-2090

RE: Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Plan
Allen harbor Landfill
NCBC Davisville, Rhode Island
Submitted 5 February 1998, Dated January 1998

Dear Mr. Otis;

The Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management, Office of Water Resources has reviewed the above referenced document and comments are attached.

If you have any questions or require additional information please call Mr. Joseph Haberek of the RIPDES Program at (401) 222-4700 ext. 7715.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard Gottlieb".

Richard Gottlieb, P.E.
Principal Sanitary Engineer

Attachment:

cc: W. Angell, DEM OWM
J. Haberek, DEM RIPDES
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RIDEM RIPDES Comments For:

**Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Plan
Allen Harbor Landfill
Naval Construction Battalion Center
Davisville, Rhode Island**

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1. 4 - EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES

- a. It is required that the operator initiate appropriate vegetative practices on all disturbed areas as soon as possible but not more than fourteen (14) days after the construction activity in that area has temporarily or permanently ceased, unless the activity is to resume within twenty one (21) days. This should be included in your SWPPP.
- b. Section 4.1.1 indicates that the "super" silt fence will be installed to a height of 42". However, the Rhode Island Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook recommends a maximum height of 36". Please, address the appropriateness of using a 42" height.

2. 5 - INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE

- a. It is required that, based on the results of the routine inspections, the SWPPP and any control measures identified in the SWPPP must be appropriately modified to control the discharge of pollutants. Such modifications must provide for the implementation of any changes to the SWPPP within seven (7) calendar days following the inspection. This should be included in the SWPPP
- b. It is required that all records related to the SWPPP be retained, as part of the SWPPP, for at least five (5) years from the date that the site has undergone final stabilization. This should be included in the SWPPP.

3. General Comments

- a. It is required that the SWPPP indicate that all types of waste at the site shall be disposed of in a manner consistent with State Law and/or regulations. This should be included in the SWPPP

Prior to the commencement of construction activities, you should address the above deficiencies and submit any revisions to the RIDEM's RIPDES Program at the following address:

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Office of Water Resources
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