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John Kolicius
Naval Facilities Engineering Command
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Code 1821, Mail Stop 82
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Dear Mr. Kolicius:

Re: Remedial Action Workplan for the Pesticide Shop
Naval Weapons Station Earle
Colts Neck Twp., Monmouth Co.

The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) has reviewed the above referenced report prepared by Foster Wheeler Environmental Corp., dated February 4, 2000. The NJDEP approves this report provided the following comment is addressed:

The Post-Excavation/delineation sampling results shall be compared to the Residential Cleanup Criteria. The comparison to these criteria is for the purposes of an institutional control, similar to a Deed Notice. NWS Earle has the option to clean up to either the Residential or Non-Residential Cleanup Criteria. If Earle remediates the site to Residential Cleanup Criteria, it will receive an Unconditional No Further Action (NFA). If Earle remediates the site to Non-Residential Cleanup Criteria, it will receive an NFA with a notification that this particular area is above the residential cleanup criteria.

If you have any questions, please call me at (609)-633-7237.

Sincerely,

Bob Marcolina, Case Manager
Bureau of Federal Case Management

c: Jessica Mollin, EPA
Greg Goepfert, NWS Earle
L. Jargowsky, Monmouth Co. Health Dept.