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From: Commanding Officer, Naval Amphibious Base, Little Creek
To: Commander, Atlantic Division, Naval Facilities Engineering Command

Subj: COMMENTS ON DRAFT INTERIM REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION REPORT

Ref: (a) Draft Interim Remedial Investigation Report, Naval Amphibious Base Little Creek

Encl: (1) Comments on Draft Interim Remedial Investigation Report

1. Comments on reference (a) are forwarded as enclosure (1). Please incorporate these changes into the final document. My point of contact is Anne Marple at commercial (804) 363-4846 or AUTOVON 864-4846.

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**Interim Remedial Investigation Report
Comments**

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1.2	1-2	4	3	The Norfolk/Virginia Beach city line divides the base.
1.2	1- 2 5	2	3	Forty-three ships are homeported at the base.
1.2.1	1-5	5	1	The "debris piles" are staged materials to be recycled/reused, burned, or transported off base.
1.2.1	1-8	3	2	The landfill site has never been used as a temporary storage area for hazardous wastes. Empty drums were staged there for a short period prior to 1982, when they were moved to the hazardous waste facility for use or disposal.
1.2.1	1-8	3	4	Open burning was halted in 1984, but the base acquired a new burn permit in 1991.
1.2.2	1-22	5	2	Change sentence to read "These recommendations were generally limited to continued or expanded sampling and designed only to confirm the Round 1 results, and formed the basis of the field sampling and analysis activities conducted during the Interim RI."
3.3	3-2	5	4	Change sentence to read "... from the water table aquifer to the lower confined aquifer."
3.4	3-3	4	3	Delete the comma after the word "canal."
3.4	3-3	5	1	Change sentence to read "A narrow north-south trending canal..."
4.5.2	4-39	1	1	Change sentence to read "Periodic flushing of the canal occurs during..." Add space between the words "and" and "overflows."

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4.5.2	4-39	5	4	Confirm source for information regarding the alleged underground storage tanks near MW-6 and MW-7.
6.1.1	6-2	2	3	Special Warfare Group Two and other tenant commands conduct small boat operations, diving, and amphibious landing exercises in Little Creek Cove and along its eastern beach.
6.1.2	6-3	5	1	Change sentence to read "Ebasco sampled eight monitoring..."
6.1.3	6-4	6	2	Change sentence to read "Ebasco sampled three monitoring..."
6.1.4	6-5	3	4	Change sentence to indicate that the drainage canal appears to be the site of occasional, unapproved trash dumping, but that refuse disposal there does not occur regularly and is not approved.
7.1.1	7-1	4	1	Change section to indicate that NAB LCREEK currently is investigating requirements for closure of the landfill.