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Mr. Mark Lewis
Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Water Management
Permitting, Enforcement & Remediation Division
79 Elm Street
Hartford, CT 06106-5127

Dear Mr. Lewis:

SUBJ: RESPONSES TO CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION COMMENTS DATED APRIL 21, 1998 REGARDING THE APPLICATION FOR ALTERNATIVE DIRECT EXPOSURE CRITERIA, AREA A DOWNSTREAM/OBDA SITE, NAVAL SUBMARINE BASE NEW LONDON, GROTON, CT

Please find enclosed the Navy's responses to your comments of April 21, 1998 on the application for Alternative Direct Exposure Criteria for the Area A Downstream/OBDA site at NSB-NLON.

I hope these responses satisfy your concerns. Please call me at (610) 595-0567 ext. 162 if you have any questions or wish to discuss this issue further.

Sincerely,

MARK EVANS

By direction of the
Commanding Officer

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