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Federal Facilities Branch (Code 3HS13)
Attn: Mr. Todd Richardson
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Subject: Site 23, LP-20 Plating Shop, PA/SI, Naval Station
Norfolk, Norfolk, Virginia

Dear Mr. Richardson:

Enclosed is a Technical Memorandum that details the background, regulatory and investigation history for Site 23, the LP-20 Plating Shop at the Naval Station Norfolk located in Norfolk, Virginia. This letter is submitted to fulfill the Preliminary Assessment/Site Inspection (PA/SI) requirement under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) for Site 23. Based on the regulatory and investigation history detailed in the enclosure, we believe that the intentions of the PA and SI steps under CERCLA have been met. Therefore, we recommend proceeding to the RI/FS phase of the CERCLA process at Site 23.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (757) 322-4587.

Sincerely,

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By direction of the Commander

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