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LETTER REGARDING SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND
ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL COMMENTS ON 10 AUGUST 1989 SITE VISIT ON
INSTALLATION RESTORATION PROGRAM INVESTIGATION MCRD PARRIS ISLAND SC
8/23/1989
SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL

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August 23, 1989

Ms. Johnsie Nabors
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MCRD, Parris Island, SC 29905

Re: MCRD, Parris Island
Meeting and Site Visit on August 10, 1989
Beaufort County

Dear Ms. Nabors:

Thank you for providing an opportunity to visit your facility, and comment on the on-going I.R.P. investigation at MCRD. The purpose of this letter is to provide written comments on the discussions at the referenced meeting.

General Comments

- 1) Potentiometric maps will be included in the final RI Verification step report.
- 2) Barrels containing drill cuttings were observed at several sites throughout the facility. These cuttings should be properly disposed of in coordination with the Low Country District EQC (Russell Berry) and Harold Seabrook (BSHWM, 734-5183).

Site Specific Comments

Site 1 - Incinerator Landfill

The recommendation for further action was concurred with by EPA and DHEC.

Since this site is proximal to a recreation area, EPA and DHEC recommended that a sign be posted to restrict access to the landfill. A fence along the front of the site may also be appropriate.

Site 2 - Borrow Pit Landfill

The recommendation for further action was concurred with by EPA and DHEC.

Site 3 - Causeway Landfill

The recommendation for no further action was not concurred with by DHEC.

Apparently this area is frequently used for fishing. To ensure that an impact from the landfill has not occurred to the native biota that may be consumed by humans, a bioassay is recommended. If no significant impact is detected, no further action at this site would be approvable.

Site 4 - Dredge Spoils Fire Training Pit

The recommendation for no further action was concurred with by EPA and DHEC.

Site 6 - Hobby Shop

The underground storage tank (UST) at this site will be removed, and the environmental assessment will be conducted at that time. Per a subsequent phone conversation with Cacky Barefoot on August 21, 1989, funding for this project will be provided directly by the facility who will hire a contractor to perform the removal/assessment. Southern Division will continue to review this site under the IRP. All work plans should receive approval from the Department prior to implementation.

Site 16 - Pesticide Rinsate Area

The recommendation for further action was concurred with by EPA and DHEC.

Site 17 - Page Field Tanks (AS-16)

The recommendation for no further action under the I.R.P. investigation was concurred with by EPA and DHEC.

Per the above mentioned phone call with Cacky Barefoot, this site will also be funded directly by the facility and the technical review will be provided by the Department and the UST Section of Southern Division.

Site 18 - Page Field Tanks (AS-18)

The recommendation for no further action under the I.R.P. investigation was concurred with by EPA and DHEC. The UST section of Southern Division (Darrell Fotenot) will be responsible for coordinating the tank removal/assessment.

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Site 19 - MCX Service Station

The recommendation for no further action under the I.R.P. investigation was concurred with by EPA and DHEC.

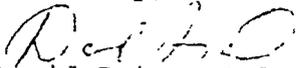
All aboveground facilities have been removed at this site, but the UST's are still in place. The UST section of Southern Division will also be responsible for coordinating the UST removal/assessment at this site.

Site 7 - Daylight Infiltration Course

The recommendation for no further action was concurred with by EPA and DHEC.

If you have any questions, please call me at 734-5329.

Sincerely,


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