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EMAIL AND COMMENTS FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION REGARDING DRAFT REMEDIAL ACTION WORK PLAN FOR SEWAGE
TREATMENT PLANT NAS SOUTH WEYMOUTH MA
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Comments on the draft Remedial Action Work Plan for Sewage Treatment Plant Site, dated May 14, 2009 (letter to follow):

1. Figure 4-1: While the soil removal area boundaries shown here are acceptable for planning purposes, the actual removal area boundaries should be adjusted to account for site topography and runoff patterns that likely affected the distribution of contamination. In particular, contamination on the west sides of Area B-1 and Area B-2 may have been distributed by drainage channels that extend downslope toward the adjacent wetland. To ensure that the removal action addresses the full extent of contamination exceeding the cleanup goals, MassDEP recommends that the work plan boundaries be staked for on-site orientation purposes and subsequently modified during a joint Navy-EPA-MassDEP site visit.
2. Section 5.6: Tier II analytical data validation should be performed in accordance with the specification in the pre-design investigation QAPP (also refer to pre-design investigation report).

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