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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES  
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November 18, 1986

Lt. Commander Earl L. Smith  
Public Works Office  
U. S. Naval Air Development Center  
Street and Jacksonville Roads  
Warminster, PA

Re: Fire Training Area  
Inspection 11/4/86

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Dear Commander Smith:

Examination of the fire fighting training area at your facility revealed oil soaked soils, and stressed vegetation along a drainage way leading from the burn area. On an earlier visit by Thomas Sheehan from the Division of Emergency and Remedial Reponse he noted oily and contaminated water coming out of the ground and running on the surface. These conditions pose a threat to ground and surface water and should be remediated as soon as possible. They also constitute a violation of the Solid Waste Management Act 97 of 1980 Sections 301, 302(a)(b), 601, and 610.

You are hereby notified of the existence of these violations and the need for their correction. Toward this end you are requested to respond in writing with a plan for the correction of these violations, and to provide methods to prevent their reoccurrence, within fourteen days after receipt of this letter.

This letter does not waive, either expressly or by implication, the power or authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to prosecute for any and all violations of law arising prior to or after the issuance of this letter or the conditions upon which the letter is based. This letter shall not be construed so as to waive or impair any rights of the Department of Environmental Resources, heretofore or hereafter existing.

This letter shall also not be construed as a final action of the Department of Environmental Resources.

Very truly yours,  
  
MICHAEL PENNELLA  
Waste Management Specialist

- cc: Nancy Roncetti
- George Danyliw
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