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LETTER REGARDING U S EPA REGION IV APPROVAL OF ACTION MEMORANDUM FOR
POTENTIAL SOURCE OF CONTAMINATION 25 FORMER TRANSFORMER STORAGE
YARD BUILDINGS 101 AND 247 NAS CECIL FIELD FL
9/26/2000
U S EPA REGION IV



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 4

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September 26, 2000

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Commander

Attn: Mr. Mark Davidson

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Subject: Action Memorandum for Potential Source of Contamination (PSC) 25 - Former Transformer Storage Yard (Buildings 101 and 247), Naval Air Station Cecil Field, Jacksonville, Florida

Dear Mr. Davidson:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed the subject document dated September 8, 2000, and find it adequate for its intended purpose. EPA concurs with the selected action to remove approximately 1,235 cubic yards of soils contaminated with PCB, 4,4'-DDT and benzo(a)pyrene (BaP) above Florida residential SCTLs. This action will prevent further migration of the contaminated soils into nearby drainage pathways and the groundwater and protect current and future workers at the site from health threats posed by direct contact and inhalation of airborne particles. EPA recommends implementation as soon as possible.

This action will remove contaminated soils above the residential levels and will therefore not require any institutional controls for surface soils, but institutional controls will still be required for the groundwater contamination until clean-up goals are met.

EPA appreciates the opportunity to work with the Cecil Field BRAC Cleanup Team on this project. If you have any questions regarding this letter please contact me 404/562-8539.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Deborah A. Vaughn-Wright".

Deborah A. Vaughn-Wright
Remedial Project Manager

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