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LETTER REGARDING U S EPA REGION VI REVIEW AND COMMENTS ON FINAL
TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM ON INTERIM REMEDIAL ACTION AT GOLF COURSE
MAINTENANCE YARD NAS FORT WORTH TX
9/23/1997
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Re: Comments
Final Technical Report
Interim Remedial Action
Golf Course Maintenance Yard
Naval Air Station Fort Worth Joint Reserve Base
EPA ID No. TX0571924042

Dear Mr. Weegar:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has performed a technical review of the U.S. Air Force's (USAF) document titled "Final Technical Report, Interim Remedial Action at the Golf Course Maintenance Yard" (March 1997) for Naval Air Station Fort Worth (NAS FW) Joint Reserve Base (formerly Carswell Air Force Base). Enclosed for your review are EPA's comments on the Final Technical Report. These comments are being provided based on EPA's representation on the BRAC Cleanup Team for NAS FW.

This correspondence is concurrently being sent to USAF for their review and should not be considered as the final regulatory approval of the Final Technical Report. If you have any questions concerning our comments, please call me at (214) 665-7437.

Sincerely yours,

Rafael A. Casanova

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Enclosure

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U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY COMMENTS
U.S. AIR FORCE
FINAL TECHNICAL REPORT
INTERIM REMEDIAL ACTION AT THE GOLF COURSE MAINTENANCE YARD
NAVAL AIR STATION FORT WORTH JOINT RESERVE BASE

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has performed a technical review of the U.S. Air Force's (USAF) "Final Technical Report, Interim Remedial Action at the Golf Course Maintenance Yard" (March 1997) for Naval Air Station Fort Worth (NAS FW) Joint Reserve Base (formerly Carswell Air Force Base). The following comments, on the Final Technical Report, are presented alphabetically and by the chapters, sections, and pages corresponding to the report.

GENERAL COMMENT

A. Deed Recordation Requirements:

EPA's Comments

USAF's Final Technical Report should include a document intended to be used in fulfilling deed recordation requirements if appropriate.

SPECIFIC COMMENTS

CHAPTER 4.0 - CONCLUSIONS OF THE PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION

B. Page 4-1:

USAF's Final Technical Report

USAF lists the media-specific concentration (MSC) for dieldrin as 0.00005 mg/L.

EPA's Comments

The MSC for dieldrin should be 5.32E-6.

CHAPTER 5.0 - REMEDIATION ACTIVITIES

C. Table 5.2-2 - Maximum Detected Metals Concentrations, Comparison to Background Values for Subsurface Soil, Page 5-8:

USAF's Final Technical Report

Table 5.2-2 lists the upper tolerance limits (UTLs) for each of the metals sampled at the maintenance yard.

EPA's Comments

The UTLs for arsenic and beryllium should be 5.533 and 0.957, respectively.

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