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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION COMMENTS ON LONG
TERM MONITORING REPORT DATED MAY 2012 FOR BOCA CHICA TANK FARM NAS KEY
WEST FL
4/29/2013
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Re: Long Term Monitoring Report (May 2012) for Boca Chica Tank Farm Naval Air Station Key West, OCULUS ID DOD_9_1080, Key West, Florida

Dear Mr. Syme,

The Department has completed the technical review of the subject document dated December 2012 (received January 24, 2013) and has the following comment:

- 1. Table 5-2, Water Quality Analytical Detections for Boca Chica Tank Farm Long Term Monitoring Report and Table 6-1, Annual Water Quality Analytical Detections for Boca Chica Tank Farm, Long Term Monitoring Annual Report:** Previously the Department stated the following in a letter dated September 11, 2012, where we state the following:

We are willing to support Naval Air Station NAS Key West (NAS Key West) pursuing the use of the "poor quality" as the groundwater classification for this site. To complete this task, NAS Key West needs to meet the criteria outlined in Chapter 62-780 Florida

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Administrative Code (F.A.C.), "Guidance for Evaluation of Low Yield/Poor Quality Criteria, dated October 2008 and "Guidance for Comparing Background and Site Chemical Concentrations in Soil, dated March 2008". Please remove monitoring wells BCTF – PMW-17 and 18 from the wells listed in both of these tables. These monitoring wells do not qualify for poor quality criteria due to the fact that it is located in the middle of the groundwater plume at this site.

If I can be of any further assistance with this matter, please contact me at (850) 245-8998.

Sincerely,

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