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LETTER REGARDING IDENTIFICATION OF HYDRAULIC FLUID LEAK AND REMOVAL OF  
CONTAMINATED SOIL IN THE VICINITY OF EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE BUILDING 3020  
NSB KINGS BAY GA  
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Mr. Billy Hendricks  
Georgia Department of Natural Resources  
Environmental Protection Division  
205 Butler Street, Suite 1154  
Atlanta, GA 30334-4910

Dear Mr. Hendricks:

We are cleaning a hydraulic fluid spill in the vicinity of Equipment Maintenance Building #3020. We discovered approximately 5 gallons of petroleum (non synthetic) hydraulic fluid entering the building from the secondary containment of an underground line from the 280 gallon aboveground storage tank. We drained the containment and removed concrete, asphalt and soil to expose the line. We found a leak from the secondary containment to the soil on July 27, 2001. We reported this spill to the Georgia hotline, report number 072701-02, and to the National Response Center, incident report number 574544.

We took samples and removed approximately 5 cubic yards of contaminated soil. We will continue to excavate per our telephone conversation with you of August 7, 2001. We will modify our cleanup strategy if we encounter groundwater or nearby obstacles which include UST 3020-07, an asphalt parking lot used for the transit of support equipment, or a thick concrete pad. We removed all underground lines that connected the aboveground storage tanks to building 3020 and will replace them with aboveground lines.

The SUBASE Kings Bay point of contact is Ken Yargus, (912) 673-2001, extension 1217. Please address all correspondence to

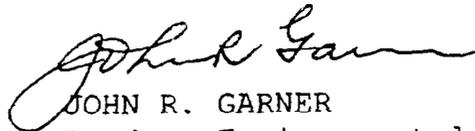
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"Commanding Officer, Naval Submarine Base, Kings Bay, 1063 USS  
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Sincerely,



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Leader, Environmental Division  
Facilities & Environmental  
By direction of the  
Commanding Officer

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