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LETTER REGARDING U S EPA REGION IV COMMENTS ON WORK PLAN FOR
GROUNDWATER SAMPLING REVISION 5 AND GROUNDWATER SAMPLING AT
OPERABLE UNIT 2 (OU 2) NTC ORLANDO FL
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SUBJ: Technical Review and Comments for the Work Plan for Groundwater Sampling Rev. 5, June 2002 and Work Plan for Well Installation and Groundwater Sampling for Operable Unit 2, Rev. 1, June 2002, Former Naval Training Center Orlando, Orlando, Florida.

Dear Ms. Nwokike:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has completed its review of the subject documents.

Both documents are well written and are acceptable for their intended use. The Work Plan for Operable Unit 2 proposes sampling nearly all the wells and surface water locations in the area and as so should provide excellent documentation of the contaminant distribution. The other document is acceptable with one concern for Study Area 8 of Operable Unit 3. The upgradient groundwater wells (to the east) have arsenic concentrations in excess of the MCL(See Figure C-4, Page C-5). It appears that the upgradient definition of the arsenic plume has not been defined.

If you have any questions, please call me at (404) 562-8544.

Sincerely,

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