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Dear Mr. Nuzie:

We have received your department's comment on the Naval Air Station, Pensacola Quarterly Report on Groundwater Monitoring. Enclosure (1) is our response to your comment.

If you require any further information regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Les Cabiness, Code 18218, at (803)743-0559 or Ms. Suzanne Sanborn, Code 18211, at (803)743-0574.

Sincerely,

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Encl:

(1) SOUTHDIV Response on Subject Matter

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Attachment A

RESPONSES TO COMMENTS FROM THE
FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION
QUARTERLY REPORT ON GROUNDWATER MONITORING AT THE NAS PENSACOLA
WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY

COMMENT:

It is agreed that in general, the levels of inorganics and base neutral aromatics are similar to the preceding three sampling events, however, the results of the VOCs are somewhat disturbing especially at shallow zone well GH-8 where the levels of VOCs are higher than in the three preceding sample events. These results indicate that due to the groundwater flow direction, it would be prudent for the Navy to monitor corrective action wells Nos. GH-71, 72, 77 and 78 for VOCs in the next sampling event.

RESPONSE:

Monitoring wells GH-71, 72, 77 and 78 are not included in the list of wells to be monitored under the current Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Permit No. HF17-170951, which was issued to the facility by FDER on September 20, 1991. However, these wells will be sampled as part of the remedial investigation of this site which is scheduled to begin shortly.

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