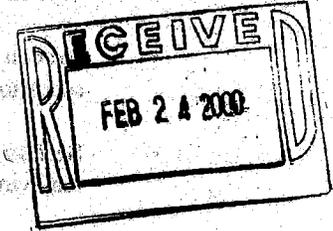




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Dear Mr. Hill:

The U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), has completed the review of the above subject document, dated November 22, 1999. Comments are enclosed.

If you have any questions please contact me at (404) 562-8538.

Sincerely,

Gena D. Townsend

Senior Project Manager

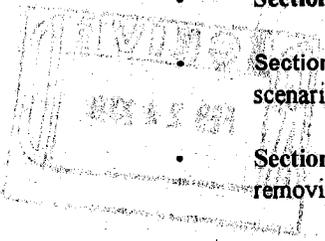
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- cc: Ron Joyner, NAS Pensacola
- Brian Caldwell, Ensaf
- Allison Harris, Ensaf
- Joe Fugitt, FDEP

**Comments**

- **Section 6.1**, provide a brief **explanation** of the Hazard Index.
- **Section 7.1.1**, include in the first paragraph that the area estimated is for the residential scenario.
- **Section 7.4**, include the estimated implementation time frames associated with removing the soils in Alternatives S-3(a) and S-3(b).
- **Table 7.4**. The first subtotal should be \$70,900 instead of \$709,000. Use a 1999 date or no date for the five-year review estimate.
- **Section 8.1.3**, it is stated that Florida has concurred with the selection of Alternative S2 to remediate OU13; shouldn't Florida concur with the selected remedy, which is Alternative S3(b)? Similarly, in Section 8.2.3, it is stated that Florida has concurred with the selection of Alternative G2 to remediate OU13; shouldn't Florida concur with the selected remedy, which is Alternative G3?



The following information was provided by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) regarding the remediation of OU13. The information was provided to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on May 15, 1997.

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