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RE: Operable Unit 11, Site 38 Proposed Plan and Public Notice, NAS Pensacola, Florida

Dear Mr. Hill,

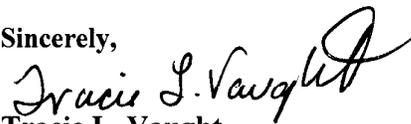
The Department has reviewed the subject documents dated November 2004, (received November 8, 2004) with the following comments:

General Comments:

1. Since receiving this document Hurricane Ivan has caused the team to choose a different Soil Cleanup Alternative for this site. Originally the team had decided upon using Alternative S4 Excavation of Industrial Hot Spots and Leachability Criteria Exceedences with Offsite Disposal. Due to damage from Hurricane Ivan, this site is going to be changed into a green space area. The contaminated soil will be excavated and disposed of properly and the area will be covered with two feet of clean fill. The Department concurs with this new approach and will re-review the next draft of the proposed plan using this new alternative.
2. The Department does concur with preferred remedy for groundwater which is Alternative G2 Monitored Natural Attenuation with Institutional Controls.

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

Sincerely,


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