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19 May 11

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Region 2  
Mr. Timothy Gordon  
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**Subj: NOTICE OF CONTROLLED DETONATION OF MUNITIONS AND  
EXPLOSIVES OF CONCERN, SWMU 1, NAVAL ACTIVITY PUERTO RICO**

Dear Mr. Gordon:

On Friday 13 May 2011, the Navy performed a planned and controlled detonated of eight items of munitions and explosives of concern (MEC) found during the implementation of the interim corrective measures (ICM) at Solid Waste Management Unit (SWMU) 1. The Navy implemented the detonations in pursuant to 40 CFR Part 264.1(g)(8)(i) (D) and in accordance with the approved Explosive Safety Submission for SWMU 1 ICM debris removal. The items of MEC detonated were:

<b>MEC Item No.</b>	<b>Item Description</b>
I-001MEC	Rocket Motor 5" HVAR Mk 10 unfired
I-002MEC	Rocket Motor 5" HVAR Mk 10 unfired
I-003MEC	Rocket Motor 5" HVAR Mk 10 unfired
I-004MEC	Rocket Motor 5" HVAR Mk 10 unfired
I-005MEC	Rocket Motor 5" HVAR Mk 10 unfired
I-006MEC	Rocket Motor for 3.5" rocket, unfired
I-007MEC	Fuze, VT, Mk 72-8, with booster
I-008MEC	Hand Grenade, Mk 2, unfuzed

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Should you have any questions, please contact me at (843) 743-2124 or via email at [mark.e.davidson@navy.mil](mailto:mark.e.davidson@navy.mil).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark E. Davidson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

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