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LETTER CONFIRMING RECEIPT OF FINAL DETECTION AND MONITORING PROGRAM  
FOR THE BATTERY SITE NAS WHITING FIELD FL  
12/23/1985  
FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

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December 23, 1985

Mr. D. R. Spell, P.E.  
Head of Environmental Branch  
Department of the Navy  
P. O. Box 10068  
Charleston, South Carolina 29411-0068

Dear Mr. Spell:

We have received the copies of the final report of the Detection and Monitoring Program for the battery site at the NAS Whiting Field, Milton, Florida.

I have forwarded copies of the plan to our ground water personnel for review prior to comment. Completing their review you will be advised accordingly.

During our December 17, 1985 meeting, you advised that the organic compounds identified in this report indicate a regional problem which will be better addressed in the overall IRP for Whiting Field. To further demonstrate this you requested that the Navy be allowed to generate two additional quarters of verification sampling which should establish a data base to either prove or disprove this supposition. We have no problems with this extension and request that you forward copies of the sampling data to the Department upon their receipt by the Navy. Additionally, the Navy and/or consultants should work closely with Department representatives in establishing an approach to resolve any regional problems arising from the IRP.

If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact Mr. Charles Goddard of this office at (904) 436-8320.

Sincerely,

George E. Hoffman, Jr.

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District Enforcement Officer

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