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LETTER REGARDING AVAILABILITY OF COMPLIANT WATER SUPPLY WELLS NAS
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Mr. John Kintz
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Pensacola, FL 32501

Dear Mr. Kintz:

This letter is in reference to your letter dated September 26, 1986 and to the telephone conversation you had with Mr. G. M. Goldston of this office on October 1, 1986, concerning the potable water wells at the Naval Air Station (NAS), Whiting Field, Milton, FL. As previously discussed, the south and west wells have been taken out of service due to violation of the MCL's for benzene and trichloroethylene. NAS is presently operating with service from the north well.

Resampling of each of the three wells was initiated and samples were taken at a point after treatment. Also post treatment samples were taken with all three wells operating simultaneously. While these samples were taken, the water was valved off from distribution and wasted. The above samples will substantiate the samples taken previously by the Santa Rosa County Health Unit and give an indication of possible reduction through the present treatment system. Upon receipt of the results of the sampling, we will further analyze this situation.

We presently have an engineering firm under contract to study the potable water system at NAS Whiting Field. Our immediate action is to include the above problem under their work scope and obtain recommendations and cost estimates for resolution to this problem. You will be advised of the status of these actions.

Should you need to discuss this further, please contact Mr. Goldston at the above telephone number.

Sincerely,

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