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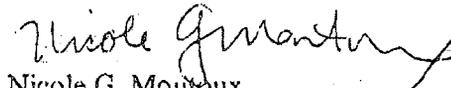
RE: Site Specific Environmental Baseline Survey Report and Federal Agency-to-Agency
Property Transfer for Site 1, Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro, dated July, 2001

Dear Mr. Gould:

EPA has reviewed the response to comments and the final EBS and Site Specific FOST which were received electronically on September 10, 2001. We find that all of EPA's comments have been addressed and incorporated in the final documents. We have no further comments.

If you have any questions, please call me at (415) 744-2366.

Sincerely,


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