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Mr. Joseph Joyce
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Re: EPA Approval of Draft Final Groundwater Remediation Pilot Test Work Plan (WP) and Draft Final Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) for Marine Corps Air Station El Toro, CA

Dear Mr. Joyce:

This letter is to notify you that the documents referenced above are hereby approved by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). There are two issues however that I would like to bring to your attention for future submittals: 1) contrary to a statement in the Work Plan, EPA does require double blind PE samples as an element of the QAPP, and, 2) the relationship of the subcontractor should be depicted in the organizational chart.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (415) 744-2210.

Sincerely,

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