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Re: Draft Active Petroleum Sites Investigation Field Work Plan, dated May 27, 1994

Dear Mr. Chao,

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has received the subject document and submits the following comments. Call me at 415-744-2383 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Michael D. Gill".

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Specific Comments

1. Section 3.1.1, page 4, para 2. Figures 3 and 4 appear to be almost identical. Figure 3 needs to be corrected. Figure 4 is correct.
2. Section 4.2.1, page 10, first incomplete para. Groundwater measurements that are monitored in the inaccessible pits should be reported to the regulatory agencies at some point in this process.
3. Section 4.2.2, page 10. "The borings will be continuously cored from just beneath the asphalt cover to the first saturated interval." If analysis of the corings show that contamination is present in the first saturated layer, the Navy should continue sampling deeper until no Navy contaminants are found.
4. Section 4.3, page 11, 12. Soil and groundwater samples should also include analysis for VOCs.
5. Section 4.4, page 12. Groundwater samples should include analysis for VOCs.
6. Tables 3 and 4, page 14, 15. The analytical suite should include VOCs. Please show the soil and groundwater sample locations on a map.
7. Section 6.0, page 18. "Currently, data indicate that VOC and TPH contamination is present in some soils and groundwater." This statement should encourage the Navy to comply with the requests for VOC analysis in comments 4, 5 and 6.