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October 31, 1995

Mr. Stephen Chao
Naval Facilities Engineering Command
Engineering Field Activity, West
900 Commodore Way, Bldg. 101
San Bruno, CA. 94066-2402

Re: *Iron Curtain Pilot-Scale Study Phase I Field Work Plan*, dated September 8, 1995
Iron Curtain Bench-Scale Study Report, dated October 16, 1995

Dear Mr. Chao,

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has received the subject documents and applauds the Navy for investigating innovative technologies. We don't have any comments on either of these two documents. We do believe that because of the importance and promise of this groundwater remediation technology, that it would be helpful if your results were more widely distributed. For a start, we would suggest that copies of any results be forwarded to EPA's Groundwater Remediation Technologies Analysis Center¹ and the Navy's Southwest Division in San Diego. Call me at 415-744-2385 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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

Michael D. Gill
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¹Point of contact is Jeff Sacre at 800-373-1973. The GWRTAC receives EPA funding to gather information on in-situ groundwater remediation technologies. For those interested, their world wide web home page is <http://www.chmr.com/gwrtac/>.