



COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Environmental Quality Board

February 21, 2002

Mr. Félix López Arroyo
Boquerón Field Office
US Fish & Wildlife Service
P.O. Box 491
Boquerón, PR 00622-0491

OPTIONAL FORM 99 (7-90)

FAX TRANSMITTAL

of pages 1

To	GINNY FARRIS	From	Felix Lopez
Dept./Agency		Phone #	
Fax #		Fax #	

NSN 7540-01-917-7388

5099-101

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

Dear Mr. López:

Reference is made to your telephone conversation with Dr. Ivonne Santiago, Director of the Water Quality Area of the Puerto Rico Environmental Quality Board (PREQB), on February 20, 2002. You informed her that at the November 14, 2001 meeting of the Technical Review Committee, a PREQB official indicated that we did not have the time, money, or resources available to evaluate all the documentation that was generated regarding the Navy operations of the Atlantic Fleet Weapons Training Facility (AFWTF) in Vieques.

Please be acknowledged that the expressions made by that person do not represent nor has ever been the policy of this Board. The PREQB wishes to be an active participant in any process that involves discussions of the AFWTF activities or any activity involving the protection, preservation, and restoration of the environment.

If you have any questions regarding the position of this Board in this matter, do not hesitate to contact me at 787-767-8057 or you may contact Mr. Eugene Scott, Esq., at 787-767-8181 ext. 2625.

Cordially,


Esteban Mujica Cotto, Esq.
Chairman

Cc: Christopher Penny, Atlantic Division US Navy
Carlos Ramos, US EPA- Region 2
Eugene Scott, Esq., PREQB
Ing. Ivonne Santiago, Ph.D., PREQB