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Commander John W. Hays
Public Works Officer
Department of the Navy (5090/H11.9 0924)
Naval Weapons Support Center
Crane, Indiana 47522-5000

RE: Final IM Report
Abandoned Compressed Gas
Cylinder Site
Naval Weapons Support Center
Crane, Indiana
IN5 170 023 498

Dear Commander Hays:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has reviewed your Final Interim Measure (IM) Report for the Abandoned Compressed Gas Cylinder Site adjacent to Building 64, for the above referenced facility, dated September 13, 1990. We hereby approve the final report.

On September 10, 1990, Ms. Carol Witt-Smith of my staff, confirmed the removal of the gas cylinders from the site. The U.S. EPA considered the unit remediated, and that no further action is required at this time. The Navy may want to regrade the area to prevent erosion in the area from the cylinder removal activities. If no further information can be found to identify what the contents of the empty yellow painted cylinders were, and no further releases are evident, the Navy may submit a permit modification notifying the public that the IM is the final remedy for the Solid Waste Management Unit.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Ms. Carol Witt-Smith of my staff, at (312) 886-6146 for assistance.

Sincerely, ORIGINAL SIGNED BY/
LISA A. PIERARD

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