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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:  
**DW-81**

Ms. Christine Freeman  
Environmental Protection Department  
Code 095  
Naval Surface Warfare Center  
300 Highway 361  
Crane, Indiana 47522

RE: Interim Measure Report Approval  
SWMUs 14/00 Sanitary Landfill & Lithium  
Battery & 17/04 PCB Capacitor Pole Yard  
Naval Surface Warfare Center  
Crane, Indiana

Dear Ms. Freeman:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) hereby approves the Draft Interim Measures Report for Solid Waste Management Units (SWMUs), 14/00 and 17/04, Sanitary Landfill and Lithium Battery Disposal Area and PCB Capacitor Burial Pole Yard, dated February 1997. The U.S. EPA recommends that the U.S. Navy should consider submitting a request for deletion of these units from further corrective action activities since all the waste materials and contaminated soil have been removed or the unit can no longer be found. The request for No Further Action should include: A Class 3 permit modification request, with the necessary public meeting information required by the Permittee, a risk screening evaluation, and any other requirements from your operating permit conditions that you have to comply with to delete SWMUs from corrective action, if any.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (312) 886-6146 for assistance.

Sincerely,

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Carol Witt-Smith  
Corrective Action Expert  
WMB, IL/IN/MI Section

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