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Paul Ingrisano
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Region II
26 Federal Plaza
New York, NY 10278

Dear Mr. Ingrisano,

The Navy will begin investigations at Naval Weapons Station Earle, Site 8, in July. Before starting the field work, the Navy would like to confirm our understanding of the EPA's position on the Site 8 Work Plan which was sent to you on May 13, 1991. Based on your comments at the June 11, 1991 TRC, we understand that your previous concerns with test pits at Site 8 have been answered and that you are satisfied with the current work plan.

The Navy will be incorporating the NJDEP's comments into the work plan and will send you a copy of the finalized version.

We understand that we have your approval to proceed with the field work after these changes have been made. If you should have any questions concerning this work, please contact Eileen Neilands at (215) 897-6280.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Thomas G. Sheckles
Head, Restoration Management Section

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