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Reference: CLEAN Contract No. N62470-08-D-1001
Contract Task Order WE24

Subject: Draft Final Lower Subbase (Operable Unit 4) Feasibility Study
Naval Submarine Base-New London, Groton, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Gravette:

Please find enclosed two hard copies and two electronic copies (CDs) of the subject document for your review and comment. Copies of the document were also distributed to the other members of the Naval Submarine Base – New London team per the distribution list provided below for their review and comment. Each hard copy of the document includes the following volumes:

- Volume I – Executive Summary and Sections 1 and 2
- Volume II – Sections 3 through 5
- Volume III – Appendices A and B
- Volume IV – Appendices C through E

Each CD contains the electronic files associated with all volumes of the document.

Comments received from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection (CTDEP), and Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) were addressed during preparation of the draft final version of the Lower Subbase Feasibility Study in accordance with the following response-to-comment documents:

- Responses to NOAA's April 24, 2008 Comments on the Draft Lower Subbase Feasibility Study (Revision 1: October 6, 2009).
- Responses to CTDEP's August 11, 2008 Email and August 18, 2008 Comments on the Draft Lower Subbase Feasibility Study (Revision 1: October 6, 2009).
- Responses to EPA's December 30, 2008 Comments on the Draft Lower Subbase Feasibility Study (Revision 1: October 7, 2009).
- Responses to EPA's August 12, 2009 Comments, Revised Human Health Risk Assessment, Lower Subbase Feasibility Study (Revision 1: October 7, 2009).
- Responses to EPA's June 11, 2008 Comments on the Draft Lower Subbase Feasibility Study (Final Revision: October 19, 2009).

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Copies of these response-to-comment documents are attached to this letter. Also considered during preparation of the draft final Feasibility Study were EPA's response-to-comment clarifications received in a November 5, 2009 email. A copy of this email is also included as an attachment to this letter.

Please provide your comments on the draft final Lower Subbase Feasibility Study at your earliest convenience, but within 60 days (March 18, 2010) of receipt of the document. If you have any questions regarding the enclosed document, please contact me at (412) 921-8984.

Sincerely,

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New London Base Coordinator/Project Manager

Attachment(s)

Enclosure(s)

cc: Ms. Kymberlee Keckler, EPA Region 1 (4 copies/4 CDs)
Mr. Mark Lewis, CTDEP (1 copy/1 CD)
Mr. Ken Finkelstein, NOAA (1 CD)
Mr. Ken Munney, USF&W (1 CD)
Mr. Richard Conant, NSB-NLON (2 copies/2 CDs)
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