

N00102.AR.002224  
NSY PORTSMOUTH  
5090.3b

LETTER REGARDING REQUEST FOR TIME EXTENSION FOR RECORD OF DECISION FOR  
OPERABLE UNIT 3 (OU 3) NSY PORTSMOUTH ME  
4/2/2001  
MAINE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION



STATE OF MAINE  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

ANGUS S. KING, JR.  
GOVERNOR

MARTHA KIRKPATRICK  
COMMISSIONER

April 2, 2001

Mr. Fred Evans  
Department of the Navy  
Northern Division  
Naval Facilities Engineering Command  
10 Industrial Highway, Mailstop 82  
Lester, PA 19113-2090

re: Request for Time Extension on the Record of Decision for Operable Unit 3 (OU3);  
Installation Restoration Program at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard, Kittery, ME

Dear Fred:

The Maine Department of Environmental Protection has reviewed the Navy's request referenced above. The Navy provided the following reasons for the requested time extension of 14 days:

- To provide sufficient time to prepare responses to the significant public comments received during the public comment period on the OU3 Proposed Remedial Action Plan;
- To incorporate the additional requirements for OU6 discussed during the March 14, 2001 RPM meeting and the March 15, 2001 Restoration Advisory Board meeting; and,
- To incorporate the EPA New England's latest model ROD language received by the Navy on March 19, 2001.

Based on the above reasons, the Maine DEP agrees to the Navy's request for a 14 day extension.

Please feel free to contact me at (207) 287-8010 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Iver McLeod  
Project Manager  
Bureau of Remediation and Waste Management

AUGUSTA  
17 STATE HOUSE STATION  
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333-0017  
(207) 287-7688  
RAY BLDG., HOSPITAL ST.

BANGOR  
106 HOGAN ROAD  
BANGOR, MAINE 04401  
(207) 941-4570 FAX: (207) 941-4584

PORTLAND  
312 CANCO ROAD  
PORTLAND, MAINE 04103  
(207) 822-6300 FAX: (207) 822-6303

PRESQUE ISLE  
1235 CENTRAL DRIVE, SKYWAY PARK  
PRESQUE ISLE, MAINE 04769-2094  
(207) 764-0477 FAX: (207) 764-1507

pc:

Denise Messier, MEDEP  
Larry Dearborn, MEDEP  
Katie Zeeman, MEDEP  
Harrison Bispham, MEDEP  
Meghan Cassidy, USEPA  
Marty Raymond, PNS  
Linda Klink, TtNUS  
Debbie Cohen, TtNUS  
Ken Finkelstein, NOAA  
Ken Munney, USFWS  
Jeff Clifford, RAB  
Doug Bogen, RAB

Don Card, RAB  
Michele Dionne, RAB  
Mary Marshall, RAB  
Phil McCarthy, RAB  
Jack McKenna, RAB  
Onil Roy, RAB  
Roger Wells, RAB  
Seacoast Anti-Pollution League, TAG Group  
Carolyn Lepage, TAG Advisor  
Claire McBane, NH F&W  
File