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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
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Attn: Ms. Nicoletta DiForte,  
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Re: Atlantic Fleet Weapons Training Facility (AFWTF) - EPA  
ID # PRD980536221 Draft Resource Conservation and  
Recovery Act (RCRA) Section 3008(h) Order on Consent

Dear Ms. DiForte:

This letter is in response to the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Region II letter dated December 8, 1998, addressed to Mr. Paul Rakowski, P.E., DEE, Head Environmental Program Branch, Atlantic Division, Naval Facilities Engineering Command (LANTNAVFACENGCOM). The purpose of this letter is to advise you that the Navy is still in the process of reviewing and commenting on the Draft Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Section 3008(h) Order on Consent for the Atlantic Fleet Weapons Training Facility (AFWTF) located on Vieques Island, Puerto Rico. The Navy intends to have formal comments on the Draft Order completed and forwarded to your office no later than March 15, 1999.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate contacting Mr. Paul Rakowski or myself at (757) 322-4770 or (757) 322-4815.

Sincerely,

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