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LETTER REGARDING THE RESPONSES TO THE PUERTO RICO ENVIRONMENTAL
QUALITY BOARD COMMENTS ON THE FINAL REVISED PHASE I RCRA FACILITY
INVESTIGATION REPORT FOR SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNIT (SWMU) 67 NAVAL
ACTIVITY PUERTO RICO
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Subject: Response to Comments: Redline *Draft Final Revised Phase I RFI for SWMU 67 Naval Activity Puerto Rico, Ceiba, Puerto Rico, April 2015.*

Dear Ms. Toro,

On behalf of the Navy, this letter is in response to PREQB's comment received on March 29, 2016 regarding the subject document.

General Comment:

1. PREQB Comment 10 (noted as Comment 9 in the Navy's Response to Comment letter), Appendix A, Field Investigation Information: It appears that the boring logs for the January and July 2014 soil samples were not provided. Please verify and provide.

Response: Due to the close proximity of the additional soil samples to SB01 (characterized during the 2011 field event), additional soil boring logs were not generated during the 2014 field event. Field observations made during the 2014 subsurface soil sampling did not indicate notable differences between the conditions observed at the six sample locations (67SB09-14) and 67SB01.

PREQB Evaluation of Response: PREQB prefers that boring logs be generated for all soil borings, even if the boring is in the vicinity of another boring with similar conditions. Please provide the boring logs for the January and July 2014 soil borings.

Response: Soil boring logs for the January and July 2014 sampling event have been generated, are attached, and have been added to Appendix A of the report.

Please let me know if you have any questions or comments. I may be reached at Jamie.butler@ch2m.com or by telephone at (757)-671-6212.

Sincerely,

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