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Mr. Ronald Nelson, Director  
Waste Management Administration  
Office of Environmental Programs  
201 W. Preston Street  
Baltimore, MD 21201

Dear Mr. Nelson:

The purpose of this letter is to submit to you a copy of the "Initial Assessment Study (IAS) of Naval Ordnance Station, Indian Head, Maryland" to comply with the requirement of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980. The IAS is a part of the Navy Assessment and Control of Installation Pollutants (NACIP) program, which identifies, evaluates, controls and corrects past deficient waste disposal sites and practices. The IAS involves an extensive review and evaluation of existing records, an examination of waste disposal history, and identification of any potential pollutant problems. This IAS recommended three sites for a confirmation study. CH<sub>2</sub>M Hill, a private concern, has completed the subsequent confirmation study of the three recommended sites and is writing a report. When the report becomes available, it will also be sent to you.

If you have any further questions, please contact Mr. Thomas Woo of this Station at (301)743-4320.

Sincerely,

HUGO R. LOPEZ

Head, Station Control and Security Office  
By direction of the Commanding Officer

Encl:

(1) Initial Assessment Study of Naval Ordnance Station, Indian Head, Maryland

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