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Enclosed is one copy of the RCRA Facility Investigation (RFI) and Verification Investigation (VI) Work Plan Addenda for the Naval Explosive Ordnance Disposal Technology Division, Indian Head, Maryland, Stump Neck Annex. The Addenda were prepared in response to your letters of 20 and 21 March 1997, granting conditional approval of the draft final VI and RFI Work Plans, respectively. The Navy has accepted your comments, and has amended the existing September 1995 VI Work Plan, and October 1995 RFI Work Plan, with the enclosed Addenda, to incorporate those comments. In addition, the Addenda were designed to make clarifications to the existing plans, and update the plans with the health and safety plan of the current contractor, Brown and Root Environmental. Finally, since the existing plans were developed in original draft in 1991, some necessary changes were made to reflect current professional practices.

A single Work Plan Addenda document was prepared to address both the VI and RFI Work Plans. This was done in an effort to simplify and avoid redundancy in the Addenda, as most sections of the Work Plans are identical and received identical regulatory comments. The exceptions are Section 4 and 5, Field Sampling Plan and Sampling Procedures, respectively.

SWMU specific sampling plans and procedures for the RFI and VI sites are presented in the following sections:

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| Section 4A | RFI Field Sampling Plan |
| Section 4B | VI Field Sampling Plan  |
| Section 5A | RFI Sampling Procedures |
| Section 5B | VI Sampling Procedures  |

All other sections in these Addenda are numbered as in the original RFI and VI Work Plans for ease of reference. Subtasks/subsections within a section that required no revisions are not addressed in these addenda.

The two original appendices at the end of the 1995 versions of the Work Plans should be disregarded, as they have been superseded by more current information. The Health and Safety Plan in Section 7 of the Work Plans is replaced by the Brown and Root Health and Safety Plan in Appendix A. Three additional appendices are in the Addenda:

Appendix B        Sample Nomenclature SOP  
Appendix C        Response to EPA Comments  
Appendix D        Project Schedule

The Addenda were intended only for clarification and correction, and do not suggest a reduction of effort from the approved Work Plans. Two additional copies will be forwarded as they become available. Field work is scheduled to begin implementation of the Work Plans on 16 June 1997. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Robert Sadorra at (202) 685-3275.

Sincerely,

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