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Attn: Hal Dusen
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Willow Grove Naval Air Station
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Attn: James R. Edmond (Code 29)
Environmental Coordinator

Re: Change in Remedial Project Manager ("RPM")
Willow Grove Air Reserve Station ("ARS") &
Naval Air Station Joint Reserve Base ("NAS/JRB")
National Priorities List ("NPL") Installation
Willow Grove, PA

Dear Messrs. Dusen and Edmond:

By way of this letter, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region III ("EPA Region III" or "Agency") hereby notifies you that, effective immediately, I am no longer assigned as the RPM for ARS and NAS/JRB. As you are both aware, the change in RPM designation for EPA Region III has already been informally communicated based on previous discussions among ARS, NAS/JRB and the Agency, during which time you were informed that Steven Hirsh will serve as the new RPM for EPA Region III. To this end, all future inquiries and correspondence should be directed as follows:

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region III
Federal Facilities Branch (3HW50)
841 Chestnut Building
Philadelphia, PA 19107-4431

Attn: Steven Hirsh, Remedial Project Manager
Mr. Hirsh may be contacted at his telephone and telefacsimile numbers of (215) 566-3352 and (215) 566-3051, respectively, as well as his e-mail address "hirsh.steven@epamail.epa.gov." On behalf of EPA Region III, I greatly appreciated the opportunity to work with you and other representatives from your respective organizations. I wish you future success with respect to addressing environmental challenges at ARS and NAS/JRB. If either of you have further questions regarding this letter, do not hesitate to contact Mr. Hirsh directly.

Sincerely,

Drew Lausch
Remedial Project Manager

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