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Dear Mr. Bearzi

This letter is the second quarter (Apr-Jun 02) Progress Report as required per Section D, Module IV, of the Cannon Air Force Base Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Part B Permit, Hazardous and Solid Waste Ammendments Section.

Activities for the RCRA Corrective Action Program (RCAP) and other significant permit activities for the second quarter of 2002 are as follows:

- a. Cannon AFB held a Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) Meeting on 13 Jun 02 at Portales.
- b. Cannon AFB drilled a new groundwater monitoring well (Well 'W') north of the Munitions Storage Area. Depth to groundwater was at 300 feet and hit the base of Ogallala formation at 350' below ground surface, which sits on top of Chinle formation. Additionally, solar powered data collectors were installed at groundwater monitoring wells A, V and W, and a data collection/transducer platform was installed at the new well W.
- c. Cannon AFB met with New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) Hazardous Waste Bureau to present modeling results for the Sewage Lagoons closure project, Solid Waste Management Unit (SWMU) 101. Fire Training Area 4, SWMUs 109-112, and the proposed passive bioventing system for remediation at that site was also discussed.
- d. Cannon AFB participated in the Federal Facilities Partnership Meeting in Albuquerque on 26 Jun 02.

Projected RCAP activities for the third quarter of 2002 are as follows:

- a. Cannon AFB will initiate remedial activity at the Sewage Lagoons (SWMU 101) and FTA-4 (SWMUs 109, 110, 111, 112), pending NMED approval of revised Corrective Measure Study.

b. Cannon AFB will hold a RAB meeting on Cannon Air Force Base during Sep 02.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Denny Timmons of my staff at (505)784-4639.

Sincerely



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