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Dear Mr. Bearzi

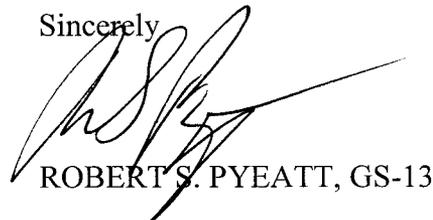
This letter is the fourth quarter (Oct-Dec 00) Progress Report as required per Section F, Module IV, of the Cannon Air Force Base Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Part B Permit for Melrose Air Force Range, Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments Section.

Cannon AFB agreed to do further groundwater monitoring at Melrose Range during the fourth quarter and requested funds from Air Combat Command to finalize the RCRA Facility Investigation of Melrose Range.

Projected activities for the first quarter 2001 are a round of groundwater sampling in March and scoping of the finalization of the RCRA Facility Investigation.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Sanford Hutsell at (505)784-6378 or Mr. John Pike at (505)784-1092.

Sincerely



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