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Dear Mr. Bearzi

This letter is the fourth quarter (Oct-Dec 02) 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 (MAFR), Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments Section.

Activities for the RCRA Corrective Action Program (RCAP) and other significant permit activities for the fourth quarter of CY02 are as follows:

- a. Groundwater levels/sampling results were collected and evaluated by USGS in support of the MAFR hydrogeologic study.
- b. In October an Ecological Risk Assessment addendum to the MAFR draft RFI report was reviewed and commented on.

Projected RCAP activities for the first quarter of CY03 are as follows:

Work will continue on finalizing the Ecological Risk Assessment Addendum and on the next investigative stage of the hydrogeologic study for the Melrose Bombing Range.

If you have any questions please contact Mr. Peter P. Zamie at (505) 784-1092.

Sincerely

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