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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Michael W. Biering, P.E.
Director, Public Works
Headquarters, 3D Infantry Division (Mechanized) and Fort Stewart
Directorate of Public Works, Building 1137
Environmental Branch (ATTN: Algeana Stevenson)
1550 Frank Cochran Drive
Fort Stewart, GA 31314-4927

RE: Revised Corrective Action Plan (CAP) for the Former Fire Training Area (FTA) at Wright Army Airfield [Solid Waste Management Unit (SWMU) 13] dated January 2006; Fort Stewart; EPA ID No. GA9 210 020 872.

Dear Mr. Biering:

The Hazardous Waste Management Branch of the Georgia Environmental Protection Division (GA EPD) is in receipt of the above-referenced document submitted with correspondence (Biering to Causse) dated February 8, 2006. Based on our review, GA EPD:

1. has determined that Fort Stewart has sufficiently responded to our comments contained in GA EPD correspondence (Rabon to Biering) dated February 17, 2004 on the September 2002 version of this report; and
2. tentatively approves the Corrective Action Plan for SWMU 13 dated January 2006.

Please note that a final decision concerning the Corrective Action Plan for SWMU 13 will be made by GA EPD after completion of a forty-five (45) day public comment period by our issuance of a Notice of Decision documenting the next modification of your Hazardous Waste Facility Permit HW-045 (S&T). Should you have any questions concerning this correspondence, please contact Benoit Causse or my staff at 404-463-7513.

Sincerely,



Brent Rabon, Coordinator
DoD Remediation Unit
Hazardous Waste Management Branch

c: Darrell Crosby, Manager, GA EPD-Coastal District
Tressa Rutland, Fort Stewart (via facsimile)
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