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Mr. James L. Heidle, Public Works Director Headquarters, 3D Infantry Division (Mechanized) and Fort Stewart Directorate of Public Works, Building 1137 Environmental Branch 1550 Veterans Parkway Fort Stewart, GA 31314-4927

RE: Request for No Further Action Status and Site Closure for Solid Waste Management Unit 26, Former 724th Tanker Purging Station, Fort Stewart, Georgia; EPA ID No. GA9210020872; dated June 08, 2022 and received June 15, 2022.

Dear Mr. Heidle:

The Land Protection Branch of the Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) has reviewed the above referenced request letter for No Further Action (NFA) at Solid Waste Management Unit 26 (SWMU 26). Based on the conclusion presented in the 30th Corrective Action Plan Progress Report, dated May 16, 2022, EPD concurs with Fort Stewart's recommendation that results from the calendar year 2021 sampling event show the concentration levels of the contaminants of concern have been below the remediation goals for three consecutive years of sampling. Therefore, the remedial efforts for SWMU 26 are complete and No Further Action status is granted. Please note that Fort Stewart shall continue to maintain land use controls at the site in accordance with the Corrective Action Plan requirements. The status of SWMU 26 will be changed to "No Further Action" with the next modification or reissuance of Fort Stewart's Hazardous Waste Facility Permit No. HW045(s)-4.

The above referenced document is considered complete and will be placed on file at EPD's office. Should you have any questions concerning this correspondence, please contact Mo Ghazi at 470-524-1626.

Sincerely,

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