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Mr. Turpin Ballard Environmental Protection Agency, Region 4 Office of Solid Waste Federal Facilities Branch 61 Forsyth Street, SW Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Mr. James Morrison Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation **TDEC-DSF** 4th Floor, L&C Annex 410 Church Street Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1538

Subject: Schedule Extension for the Main Installation Final Remedial Design (100%) Report

Dear Sirs:

Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) hereby requests a 30-day extension, to May 24, 2004, in the submittal date for the Main Installation (MI) Final Remedial Design (RD) Report, as allowed in Section XXIII.A of the Federal Facilities Agreement for the Defense Distribution Depot Memphis Tennessee (DDMT). The submittal date of April 5, 2004, listed in the BCP, was previously extended to April 24, 2004 due to the 20-day extension of the Pre-Final Remedial Design (90%) Report. The DLA believes good cause exists for this extension as described below.

The area to be subject to enhanced bioremediation treatment (EBT) is to be determined through a design-related investigation. This investigation had been discussed at recent BRAC Cleanup Team (BCT) meetings. Specific well locations were proposed to the BCT at the March meeting in Memphis; a decision was made to sample existing wells and to create a potentiometric surface map for the MI based on recent water level readings with revised design-related and LTOA well locations presented to the BCT at the next meeting. DLA did not think it appropriate to proceed with the final RD report until both the treatment areas and contaminant concentrations were more clearly defined. Based on further discussions with the BCT at our Scoping meeting in Atlanta on April 14, we feel there is sufficient understanding of the site parameters as well as flexibility in the remedial design to proceed with final revisions to the RD.

The revised schedule for the MI RD will also impact the schedule for the Remedial Action Work Plan (RAWP) and possibly for Remedial Action Construction. DLA proposes to submit a mid-year revision to the MI Master Schedule (Figure 5-1 of the BRAC Cleanup Plan) incorporating the changes to the MI RD and the subsequent activities and documents. The schedule revision will be submitted for your review by April 26, 2004

Your assistance is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions regarding this request, please don't hesitate in contacting me at (717) 770-6950.

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