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RE: ADEM Review and Concurrence: Site Investigation Plan (Including: Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan, Site-Specific Safety and Health Plan, and Site-Specific Unexploded Ordnance Safety Plan Attachments) for the Former Range 40, (Parcel 94Q), and Range, Choccolocco Corridor, (Parcel 146Q), dated April 2002
Fort McClellan, Calhoun County, Alabama
Facility ID. No. AL4 210 020 562

Dear Mr. Levy:

The Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM or the Department) has reviewed the above referenced document. Draft findings related to the subject document were discussed at the Base Realignment and Closure Team (BCT) review meeting on February 20, 2002. During the meeting, the Department provided its comments on these sites in an interactive manner such that the Army and BCT stakeholders could jointly resolve the Department's comments.

The Department agrees with Fort McClellan's proposed level of effort for this phase of the SI for Parcels 94Q and 146Q. The Department also agrees with Fort McClellan's proposal to compare analytical results with residential human health site-specific screening levels (SSSLs), ecological screening values (ESVs), and established background concentration levels. This data analysis will help Fort McClellan evaluate the potential effects to human and ecological receptors at these sites.

As you are aware, ADEM is in the process of obtaining the services of an Ordnance and Explosive/Unexploded Ordnance (OE/UXO) contractor to provide OE/UXO services to the Department. Because ADEM has not yet secured an OE/UXO contractor, ADEM will not provide comments concerning OE/UXO related activities at this time.



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For any questions concerning this matter, please contact Mr. Philip Stroud at 334-270-5646 or via email at pns@adem.state.al.us.

Sincerely,



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SUBJ: Review of Miscellaneous Work Plans; Fort McClellan

Dear Mr. Stroud:

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed the following documents and agrees with them as written.

- 1) Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan for Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X.
- 2) Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan for Station No. 6, Subsection of Former Toxic Gas Area - Pelham Range, Parcel 211(7).
- 3) Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan for Former Rifle/Machine Gun Range, Parcel 99Q.
- 4) Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan for Former Rifle/Machine Gun Range, Parcel 98Q.
- 5) Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan for Impact Area, North-Central Main Post, Parcel 132Q-X.
- 6) Final Site Investigation Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan, Site-Specific Safety and Health Plan, and Site-Specific Unexploded Ordnance Safety Plan Attachments Former Tank Ranges, Parcels 92Q-X and 93Q-X Former Grenade Range, Parcel 107Q-X, and Impact Areas, Parcels 133Q-X and 134Q-X.
- 7) Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan, Site-Specific Safety and Health Plan, and Site-Specific UXO Safety Plan Attachments for Former Rifle / Machine Gun Ranges, Parcels 100Q and 101Q.

- 8) Final Amendment 1 to Final WP/Site Safety Submission FTMC for Pelham Range SI (Lima Pond, Old Water Hole, and Former Decontamination Area South of Toxic Gas Area) Volume I Work Plan.
- 9) Final Site Specific Field Sampling Plan for Range; Choccolocco Corridor, Parcel 143Q.
- 10) Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan for Former Range 40, Parcel 94Q, and Range, Choccolocco Corridor, Parcel 146Q.
- 11) Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan for Former Range 43, Parcel 97Q; Range, Choccolocco Corridor, Parcel 144Q-X; and Impact Area, Choccolocco Corridor, Parcel 147Q-X.
- 12) Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan, Site-Specific Safety and Health Plan, and Site-Specific UXO Safety Plan Attachments, Former Mortar Firing Point, Parcel 105Q-X and Former Defendum Range (Eastern), Parcel 225Q.
- 13) DOCUMENT TITLE: Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan, Site-Specific Safety and Health Plan, and Site-Specific UXO Safety Plan Attachments, Former 37mm Antitank Range, Parcel 230Q-X, and Former Rifle Range, Parcel 149Q. TRANSMITTAL LETTER SUBJECT: Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan for Former 37mm Antitank Range, Parcel 230Q-X and Former Rifle Range, Parcel 149Q.
- 14) DOCUMENT TITLE: Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan; Site-Specific Safety and Health Plan, and Site Specific UXO Safety Plan Attachments Former Range 41, Parcel 95Q, and Impact Area, Choccolocco Corridor, Parcel 131Q-X. TRANSMITTAL LETTER SUBJECT: Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan for Former Range 41, Parcel 95Q, and Impact Area, Choccolocco Corridor, Parcel 131Q-X.
- 15) DOCUMENT TITLE: Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan, Site-Specific Safety and Health Plan, and Site-Specific UXO Safety Plan Attachments, Former Range 42, Parcel 96Q; Range, Choccolocco Corridor, Parcel 145Q-X; and Impact Area, Choccolocco Corridor, Parcel 148Q-X. TRANSMITTAL LETTER SUBJECT: Final Site-Specific Field Sampling Plan for Former Range 42, Parcel 96Q; Range, Choccolocco Corridor, Parcel 145Q-X; and Impact Area, Choccolocco Corridor, Parcel 148Q-X.

EPA considers these documents approvable. As Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM) considers appropriate, please transmit these comments to Fort McClellan (FTMC).

Please note that the apparent tardiness of EPA in reviewing and approving these work plans was because they were transmitted as final documents to EPA with no request for EPA approval. If you have any questions, please call me at (404) 562-8549.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Doyle T. Brittain". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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