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Mr. Bill Meyer North Carolina Department of Environment, Health and Natural Resources Division of Solid Waste Management P. O. Box 2091 Raliegh, NC 27601-2091

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Dear Mr. Meyer:

Enclosed please find three copies of the final draft Federal Facility Agreement for Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune dated December 6, 1989 and the original copy of the Letter of Intent to Execute the Agreement.

The enclosed Agreement contains those changes pertaining to the three outstanding issues as agreed to in your letter of December 5, 1989 and thus represents the draft Agreement to be forwarded to each of the Parties for final review and signature of the Letter of Intent to Execute the Agreement.

We request that the enclosed documents be reviewed by your staff and that the original Letter of Intent be signed by Ms. McKinney and returned to this Command, attention Code 1822, as soon as possible. The original Letter of Intent will then be forwarded to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IV, for signature and finally through the Navy/Marine Corps chain of command for signature. A copy of the original Letter of Intent with all three signatures will be provided to each of the Parties signalling the start of the public comment process.

Copies of the enclosed Agreement are being provided to both the U.S. EPA and the Navy/Marine Corps chain of command by separate cover. It is our hope that by distributing all copies of the Agreement at this time each Party will be prepared to sign the Letter of Intent upon receipt.

We would like to express our appreciation to your staff members who were involved throughout the negotiation process and especially to Ms. Lee Crosby of your Superfund branch who was instrumental in bringing these negotiations to their successful completion. We feel that the atmosphere of cooperation created during the negotiations will serve each of us well as we continue the remedial activities at Camp Lejeune.

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Please feel free to contact Ms. Sheila Ashton, P.E., Code 1822, at (804) 445-1814, with any questions concerning the enclosed Agreement.

Sincerely,

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P. A. RAKOWSKI, P.E. Head, Environmental Programs Branch Environmental Quality Division By direction of the Commander

Encl:

(1) Federal Facility Agreement dated December 6, 1989 (3 copies)
(2) Original Copy of Letter of Intent to Execute the Agreement

Copy to: (w/o encl) Ms. Elaine Lavine U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Region IV Office of Regional Counsel 345 Courtland Street Atlanta, GA 30365

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