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Environmental Affairs Division

SUBJECT: Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA)/Interagency Agreement (IAG) Administrative Docket No. II-CERCLA-FFA-001-04: Submittal of **Final Feasibility Study PICA 145, 155, 184, and 195 (the Non-Lake FS)** Reviews are ER, A-eligible

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Dear Sir and Madam:

Enclosed for your records and approval are copies of the **Non-Lakes FS**. An approval letter would be consistent with the IAG and appreciated as soon as possible to facilitate the next contracting effort. The EPA had approved the tracked-changed version of the document by the attached May 21st 2014 email.

As noted in the recent IAG schedule, the Proposed Plan for these sites will be performed by the next PBC-contractor for Picatinny which implies that the Proposed Plan will not be submitted until next calendar year.

Also enclosed are responses to the December 2013 NJDEP comments. Basically the responses to all comments relate to that *Picatinny Arsenal is an NPL site under the authority of CERCLA and takes a risk based approach to application of remedial actions and that compliance with ARARs is not needed where it has been determined that risk has been shown to be acceptable for current and reasonably anticipated future use.*

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "J. A. ...", written over a blue horizontal line.

Project Manager for Environmental
Restoration

Enclosures

CC: Ms. Barbara Dolce, TAPP Contractor (FTP Site only)
Mr. Jim Kealy, NJDEP (FTP Site only)

Copy of May 21st, 2014 Email from Bill Roach of USEPA

-----Original Message-----

From: Roach, Bill [mailto:Roach.Bill@epa.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, May 21, 2014 3:25 PM

To: Gabel, Ted B CIV (US)

Subject: RE: Responses to the EPA and NJDEP Review of 45 Sites FA and Non Lakes FS (UNCLASSIFIED)

Ted,

The Non-Lakes tracked-changed FS is satisfactory.