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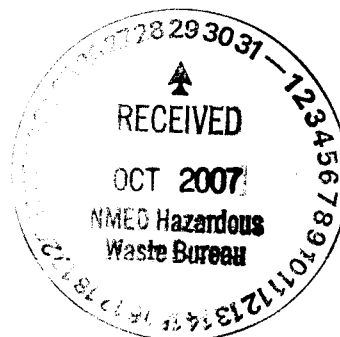
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Dear Mr. Bearzi

This letter is the third quarter CY 07 (Jul-Sep) Progress Report for Solid Waste Management Units (SWMU) existing on Cannon Air Force Base as required per Paragraph 2.5.3.d (Quarterly Reports) of the Hazardous Waste Permit (EPA ID No. NM7572124454) issued to Cannon AFB 17 Oct 03 and SWMUs located on Melrose Air Force Range.

Activities for the RCRA Corrective Action Program (RCAP) and other significant permit activities for the third quarter of 2007 are as follows:

- a. Cannon AFB (CAFB) is currently responding to Notice of Disapproval (NOD) on SWMU 31, 77 and 127.
- b. CAFB requested a deferment on SWMU 77 due to it still currently being used as a storage pad. NMED approved the deferment for SWMU 77 on 27 Sep 07.
- c. CAFB is currently responding to the NOD on RCRA Facility Investigation (RFI) Report for 21 SWMUs.
- d. Submitted Petition for No Further Action (NFA) on Landfill (LF) 3, 4 & 25 in Jun 07; however, NMED stated that the document was not appropriate for a Petition for NFA and would be considered a RFI Report and CAFB was invoiced \$9,500.00 for the review of the document.
- e. URS completed Final Corrective Measures Implementation for site SD-11 (SWMUs 86-90) Site Closure 29 Aug 07.
- f. The U.S. Geological Service (USGS) continued to collect groundwater data as part of the RCAP at CAFB in support of a hydrogeologic study of the Sewage Lagoon and Landfill 5 on 23, 24, 25 and 26 Jul 07.
- g. CAFB submitted the Environmental Restoration Program's Administrative Record on CDs to NMED on 19 Sep 07.

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Projected RCAP activities for the fourth quarter of 2007:

- a. Submission of the Work Plan for a "Corrective Action-only" Permit for NMED review for the MAFR.
- b. Submission of the Work Plan for the Excavation of Contaminated Soils at Sites ST-26 (SWMU 48a) and Area of Concern 36 is attentively scheduled for Oct 07.
- c. Submission of a Revised Part "A" for CAFB Permit NM7572124454 regarding new commander and new command ownership of Cannon.
- d. Groundwater sampling will continue to be collected and evaluated by USGS in support of the CAFB and MAFR hydrogeologic study.
- e. Tentatively schedule the next RAB for 15 Nov 07 in Portales, NM

If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact Mrs. Kristi L. Doll, Environmental Flight, at (505) 784-1091 or email kristi.doll@cannon.af.mil.

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