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Mr. Preston Howard NC Division of Environmental Management Wilmington Regional Office 7225 Wrightsville Avenue Wilmington, North Carolina 28403

RE: NOTICE OF RELEASE FROM UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITIES HADNOT POINT FUEL FARM

Dear Mr. Howard:

We are forwarding information at the enclosures regarding the identification of fuel products in the groundwaters underlying the subject fuel farm. This data as noted in the engineer's letter represents the initial field data collection and will be followed by a detailed plume report in the next three to four weeks.

This detailed engineering report will document the plume boundary and estimated product thickness and provide a recommended Location for a recovery well or wells. We will forward this report to you immediately upon receipt by our office.

In the interim, the Commanding General has directed the Fuel Farm be closed and the tanks and lines drained. An interim fuel farm will be established with all environmental precautions to preclude further contamination. We have programmed a permanent replacement facility for the fuel farm and will keep you abreast of developments in the design and construction process as it unfolds.

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For further information in this matter, please contact Mr. Bob Alexander, (919) 451-3034.

Sincerely,

T. J. DALZELL
Colonel, U. S. Marine Corps
Assistant Chief of Staff, Facilities
By direction of the Commanding General

Encl: (1) O'Brien & Gere, Inc. 1tr of 26 Apr 88 w/o well boring logs

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