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**Subject: Response to August 2, 2011 RWQCB Approval of Workplans for Concrete Demolition and Soil Confirmation Sampling, Defense Fuel Support Point Norwalk, California (SCP No. 0286A, Site No. 16638)**

Dear Mr. Cho:

The Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Energy and Parsons have received your August 2, 2011 letter, *Approval of Workplans for Concrete Demolition and Soil Confirmation Sampling*. We appreciate your response to the workplan and addendum that have been submitted for the concrete demolition and soil confirmation sampling scopes of work. This letter will confirm and acknowledge our position on your letter.

A revised workplan addendum was submitted as requested on August 29, 2011 to include the required sampling and field measurements as indicated in your August 2<sup>nd</sup> letter.

With regards to your request that a completion report describing all field activities, confirmation sampling results, waste profiling analytical results, disposition of various waste, and conclusions and recommendations be submitted by October 14, 2011, we would like to request an extension. The field activities are still underway. With the encounter of asbestos containing material (ACM), the work has been delayed. An appropriate contractor was brought on-board to conduct all the required asbestos sampling and classification for removal and disposal. Due to the presence of the ACM, field work was delayed for several tasks. Some of the concrete demolition and removal and required soil sampling in the ACM areas has not been completed yet and will be scheduled once the asbestos abatement has been completed.

We are working on the AQMD permits and notification for the asbestos abatement scope to be submitted in January 2012. Once approval is received, the asbestos abatement will begin and should take approximately 69 business days to complete. This can be delayed based on any non-working days due to rain. Assuming we can conduct the soil confirmation sampling and concrete removal within the 69 days once those specific areas have been cleared this would take field work out to the end of May. We need ample time

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to review and evaluate all data and therefore at this time request an extension for report submittal until **September 15, 2012**.

We await your response to this letter confirming that the concrete demolition and soil confirmation sampling report can be submitted by September 15, 2012. If you have any questions please call me at (602) 734-1083.

Sincerely,



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