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Subject: Draft Sampling and Analysis Plan Groundwater Monitoring  
Draft Quality Assurance Project Plan Groundwater Monitoring

The Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) has reviewed and discussed (November 28, 2000 meeting) your October 30, 2000 submittal. Based on our evaluation and discussions, these documents meet NDEP's requirements for the fall 2000 sampling of Sites 1, 2, 3, 6, 14, 16, and LUST Site 395. NDEP recommends that the documents be finalized incorporating our discussions concerning the following:

- C The submittal consisted of two (2) separate documents bound together, however, the cover page only identified the Sampling and Analysis Plan. As discussed, the final submittal should either have the two documents incorporated together with separate sections or be submitted as two stand alone documents.
- C Quality Assurance Project Plan, Section B.4.1 Laboratory Selection, Page B-7 - This section states Any laboratory conducting SW846 analysis must be certified under the state's Clean Water Act (CWA) certification for the parameters being analyzed. Currently, the State of Nevada does not have specific laboratory certification requirements for SW846 work. However, as discussed, the Nevada Administrative Code does require that all site assessment plans and corrective action plans, which include QA/QC plans for sampling and analysis, be approved by the Division prior to the

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commencement of work. The Navy has determined that all analytical analysis will be conducted by a CWA certified laboratory. NDEP concurs with this laboratory requirement which will ensure defensible data.

If you have any questions, or need further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me at (775) 687-4670, extension 3029.

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