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Attention: Lynn Nakashima
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RE: Site Investigation and Remediation Order, Docket No I/SE-RAO 06/07-004 –Current
Conditions Report

Dear Ms. Cook:

In accordance with Section V. 5.2 of the Site Investigation and Remediation Order issued by DTSC (Docket No. I/SE-RAO 06/07-004), please find enclosed the Final Current Conditions Report University of California, Berkeley Richmond Field Station (CCR) completed by the University's environmental consultant Tetrattech EMI, Inc..

This Final CCR is a revision of the April 5, 2007 Draft CCR. The document was edited to address comments made in DTSC's October 17, 2008 written comments to the Draft CCR and to comments made in subsequent meetings with DTSC staff in summer and fall 2008 and in further written correspondence from DTSC.

UC Berkeley staff and consultants have worked closely with DTSC staff in revising the text, tables, figures and appendixes of the Final CCR, which represents an exhaustive research effort by the University and consultant staff. DTSC staff have reviewed the Final CCR and have agreed that their comments have been adequately addressed. We consider this a final version that will not require further revision. Although we recognize that additional information regarding historic and current conditions at the University may become available, in the interest of moving this investigation and remediation effort forward into field activities, new information will be incorporated in the future field sampling workplans rather than in additional revisions to the Final CCR.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact me (gjhaet@berkeley.edu, 510-642-4848) or Karl Hans (khans@berkeley.edu, 510-643-9574).

Sincerely,



Greg Haet
Associate Director

Attachment: Final Current Conditions University of California Report Richmond Field Station, November 21, 2008

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