



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
U.S. ARMY ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER  
ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, MARYLAND 21010-5401

August 1, 1996

Restoration, Program Management  
and Oversight Division

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Dear Mr. Feathers:

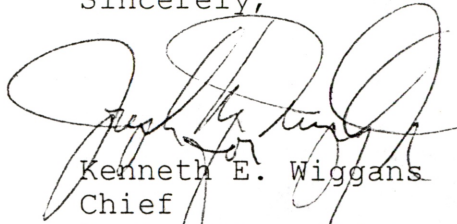
This letter is intended to inform you of a package you will be receiving on or about August 1, 1996. Enclosed are three copies of the draft final Environmental Baseline Survey (EBS) for the Stratford Army Engine Plant (SAEP). This EBS describes the environmental condition of SAEP that is used to determine the suitability to lease or transfer excess BRAC property. Included as part of this document is a letter report satisfying the requirements of Public Law 102-426, the Community Environmental Response Facilitation Act (CERFA). The CERFA letter report identifies real property where no hazardous substances regulated by CERCLA, or petroleum products, were stored for one year or more, or have been released, or disposed. This draft final version has been revised based upon our responses to the comments provided by both the Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region I. These revisions also reflect agreements made during our discussions at the Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) Cleanup Team meeting held at SAEP on July 9, 1996.

On behalf of the U.S. Army Tank-automotive and Armaments Command, and in accordance with CERFA, this revised draft final document is being forwarded at this time for your review and concurrence; a partial concurrence is acceptable to the Army. Thank-you for your timely efforts to assist the Army in complying with Public Law 102-426. Your response is requested by August 22, 1996.

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If you have any questions regarding the EBS, please contact Mr. Glen Boldt of this Center at (410) 671-1611/3261.

Sincerely,



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