

June 25, 1996

Mr. Kevin Sullivan
Waste Management Bureau
Waste Engineering and Enforcement Division
CT DEP
79 Elm Street
Hartford, Ct 06106-5127

RE: Groundwater Monitoring Frequency
AlliedSignal / Stratford Army Engine Plant

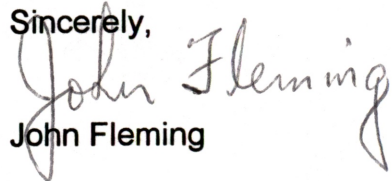
Dear Mr. Sullivan:

Enclosed please find a "Proposal to Reduce Frequency of RCRA Monitoring at the AlliedSignal / Stratford Army Engine Plant, Stratford, Ct - EPA site ID CTD 001181502". AlliedSignal is submitting this document in support of its request to reduce periodic groundwater monitoring frequency from quarterly to semi-annually. Historic groundwater quality trends in all downgradient monitoring wells included in the periodic monitoring program have been downward. It is AlliedSignal's position that the request for reduction in monitoring frequency is justified.

A copy of the April 5, 1988 letter containing your agency's approval of the facility closure/post closure plan is also attached. Please note that this approval letter specifically does not contain an approval of the groundwater monitoring program implemented pursuant to Section 22A-449 (c)-28 of Connecticut's Hazardous Waste Management Regulation or 40 CFR Part 265 (f).

During your review of these documents, please contact me at (203) 385-3964 if you have any questions. Your attention to this request will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,


John Fleming