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Re: Draft Remedial Action Report, Federal Scout Armory, Kwigillingok, Alaska and
Determination of Cleanup Complete

Dear SFC Knowles:

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) has reviewed the Draft Remedial Action Report, Federal Scout Armory, Kwigillingok Alaska, November 24, 2010. The report documents the removal of 45 tons yards of soil contaminated with diesel range organics (DRO) and disposal at the Columbia Ridge Landfill, Arlington Oregon.

Confirmation samples were obtained at the limits of the excavations. All results were below the Record of Decision cleanup levels of 10,250 mg/kg DRO, 8,250 mg/kg gasoline range organics, 11 mg/kg benzene, 110 mg/kg ethylbenzene, and 63 mg/kg xylenes. These cleanup levels were based on the human health pathways of ingestion and/or inhalation as the migration to groundwater pathway was determined to be incomplete.

The report meets the requirements of 18 AAC 75.380, Final Reporting Requirements. The DEC has determined that the cleanup is complete and the site is closed. This determination may be revised if new information becomes available indicating waste or contaminants at the site may pose an unacceptable risk to human health, safety, welfare or the environment.

Sincerely,



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