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Mr. Kenneth R. Kryszczun
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107

Subject: Non-Sampling Site Reconnaissance Summary Report
TDD No. F3-8710-35
EPA No. PA-1807
Jenkins Township Landfill
Port Blanchard, Pittston, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Kryszczun:

NUS FIT 3 was tasked to conduct a Non-Sampling Site Reconnaissance for the subject site. Based upon our review of available data and the site visit, we have concluded that EPA should consider the following:

- No further action by EPA should be taken at this time.

The Jenkins Township Landfill is an inactive municipal landfill approximately 10 acres in size. The landfill accepted municipal waste from Jenkins Township and the city of Pittston. The landfill also accepted paper waste from area businesses, demolition waste of damaged homes, and a small portion of the 1972 Hurricane Agnes flood damage waste.

The landfill operated from 1964 to 1982 when it was closed by the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources for not possessing a solid waste disposal permit.

Please consider, in support of the aforementioned recommendations, the lack of groundwater targets, the fact that there is no documentation concerning hazardous waste disposal, and the fact that there are no distinct drainage patterns from the site to the Susquehanna River. Also, Jenkins Township officials stated that no hazardous substances were disposed at the site.

If you have any further questions, please contact me.

Respectfully submitted, Reviewed by Approved by

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Attachments