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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. David Gunnarson
Chemical and Environmental Programs
Lockheed Martin Corporation
9500 Godwin Drive
Manassas, Virginia 20110

Re: Risk-Based PCB Cleanup Approval
Massillon Road, Akron, Ohio 44315

Dear Mr. Gunnarson:

We have completed our review of your January 9, 2009 application for a risk-based cleanup under 40 CFR 761.61(c) for the soil/sediment contamination in Haley's Ditch, which originated from the Lockheed Martin Corporation property located at 1210 Massillon Road in Akron, Ohio. Your application was amended by your letters of March 5, 2009 and March 16, 2009. A self-implementing cleanup under 40 CFR 761.61(a) is not applicable because your application covers cleanup of sediments in a freshwater ecosystem.

Nevertheless, your application proposes a cleanup level of 1.0 ppm, similar to the cleanup level for high occupancy areas under the self-implementing regulations. Your application indicates that you also plan to follow the other procedures described in 40 CFR 761.61(a), except that you propose a more practical sampling and analysis plan for cleanup verification.

We have determined that your proposed cleanup level and your alternate sampling and analysis plan for cleanup verification will not pose an unreasonable risk of injury to human health or the environment. Based on our review, your amended application is hereby approved, subject to the following condition: you must prepare a cleanup completion summary report that describes how you conducted the cleanup in accordance with the approved application. You must send a copy to me within 60 days after the scheduled date for completion of the cleanup.

Please note that this approval does not relieve you from your duty to comply with all other applicable federal, state, and local requirements. For example, you must obtain access agreement form for the affected landowners prior to commencement of the work off-site. You must also make sure that all persons participating in the cleanup activities use the appropriate personal protective equipment.

If you have any questions, please contact John Nordine, of my staff by e-mail at nordine.john@epa.gov or via phone at (312) 353-2143.

Sincerely,

Willie H. Harris
for Margaret M. Guerriero
Director
Land and Chemicals Division