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June 18, 1991

CERTIFIED MAIL

Army Corps of Engineers
Fort Worth District
Attn: Randy Niebuhr
CESWF-ED-GH
P.O. Box 17300
Fort Worth, Texas 76102

Re: Subsurface Release of Jet Fuel at the Laredo
International Airport, 518 Flightline, Bldg. #132,
Laredo (Webb County), Texas
(LPST ID No. 95021)

Dear Mr. Niebuhr:

This letter is to inform you that your response to the enclosed letter to Laredo International Airport dated October 9, 1990 as required by Title 31, Texas Administrative Code (TAC), Section 334.77-334.81, has not been received by this Office. It is our understanding that the U.S. Corps of Engineers has accepted the responsibility to remediate the contamination at the airport facility. At this time you are requested to express your intentions to address the above-referenced incident.

Your failure to respond within the previously requested time frame is a violation of Title 31, TAC, Chapter 334. Further delays in responding to this office may result in the initiation of formal enforcement action against the U.S. Corps of Engineers. Enforcement options available include enforcement orders, referral to the Office of the Attorney General for litigation, and/or administrative penalties of up to \$10,000 per day for every day of violation.

Your response should be submitted to this Office no later than 15 days from the date of this letter. A copy of your response must be provided to Mr. Jeff Lewellin of our District 11 Field Office in Weslaco. The LPST ID No. should be included on all correspondence.

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Should you have any questions, please contact Ms. Anne S. Miller of my staff at 512/371-6241. Your prompt attention to this matter will be appreciated.

Sincerely,



Chet Clarke
Head, Remediation Unit I
Responsible Party Remediation Section
Petroleum Storage Tank Division

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Enclosure

cc: Jose L. Flores, Laredo International Airport
(518 Flightline, Bldg. #132, Laredo, Texas 78041)
Jeff Lewellin, TWC District 11 Field Office
(813 E. Pike Blvd., Weslaco, Texas 78596-4935)

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