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Mr. Maurice Beaudoin  
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers- New England Division  
Attn: New Bedford Resident Office  
103 Sawyer Street  
New Bedford, Massachusetts 02746

Subject: Quarterly Groundwater Sampling Results  
DCN No. NBH-012296-AABV

Dear Mr. Beaudoin:

Attached please find two summary tables containing the results of the first round of quarterly groundwater sampling at the New Bedford Harbor Sawyer Street Site. Results of groundwater sampling in March 1992 are shown for comparison. Five on-site monitoring wells were sampled on December 12, 1995. Data from this sampling round indicates detected concentrations of copper and lead, consistent with the 1992 data. Cadmium was detected in a sample collected from well MW-3 in December 1995, however cadmium was not detected in the 1992 sampling round. Please note that both total and dissolved concentrations of cadmium in the December sample for well MW-3 exceeded the MCL of 0.005 ppm. Chromium and PCBs, detected in the 1992 sampling round, were not detected in samples collected during this sampling round. The original laboratory data transmittal is attached. Monitoring wells MW-4 and MW-7 are damaged and could not be sampled. These wells will be replaced by new wells MW-8 and MW-9. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (603) 228-1334.

Very Truly Yours,

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Attachments

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**ATTACHMENT 1  
QUARTERLY GROUNDWATER SAMPLING  
ANALYTICAL RESULTS**