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Subject: Addendum to June 26, 1992 Remediation Activities Plan for Del Monte Plant 35 located at 1250 Park Avenue and 4204 Hollis Street in Emeryville, California

Dear Mr. Oliva:

As you requested, I am submitting an addendum to the "Remediation Activities Plan for Del Monte Plant 35, located at 1250 Park Avenue and 4204 Hollis Street in Emeryville, California" submitted to you on June 26, 1992. This addendum describes the groundwater sampling methodology for the Hollis Street investigation and the closed-in-place tank investigation. The groundwater sampling method proposed for these two investigations was described to Mr. Dennis Byrne of the Alameda County Health Agency (ACHA) on June 23, 1992 and Mr. Richard Hyatt of the Regional Water Quality Control Board on July 2, 1992. Both Mr. Byrne and Mr. Hyatt had no objection to the proposed methodology and preferred it to Hydropunch sampling.

The proposed groundwater sampling methodology is as follows:

- 1) Drill a 7-inch diameter borehole with a hollow-stem auger drilling rig to a depth of approximately 5 to 10 feet below the existing water table and remove augers.
- 2) Purge approximately three borehole volumes of groundwater from the borehole and ensure that conductivity stabilizes to within 10 percent and pH stabilizes to within 0.20.
- 3) Install a 2-inch diameter PVC well casing with a minimum of 10 feet of well screen (0.01-inch slot size opening). Position the well screen so that it intersects the groundwater table.

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- 4) Purge an additional gallon of groundwater from the borehole through the well casing.
- 5) Collect a groundwater sample with a bailer that has a low-flow attachment to prevent possible volatilization.
- 6) Remove the well casing from the borehole and seal the borehole with grout.

The above groundwater sampling methodology obtains a representative groundwater sample by allowing the sampler to purge the well as recommended by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (Groundwater Handbook, March 1987) and the Alameda County Water District (Groundwater Monitoring Guidelines, February 1990).

Del Monte is looking forward to your written concurrence of the June 26, 1992 Remediation Activities Plan letter. If you have any questions or comments, please call me at (510) 251-2888 (ext. 2118).

Sincerely,

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