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RE: Draft Site Closure Report Former Blubber Dump (Non Two Party Agreement Site) Pribilof Islands Site Restoration Project St. Paul Island, AK February 5, 2001

Dear Mr. Lindsay:

The Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) has received the above document on February 21, 2001. Based on a review of the data presented in the report, ADEC concurs with the conclusion in section 7,0 that no further action is required at the site known as the Former Blubber Dump. However, if in the future, additional contamination is discovered at this site, further investigation and/or remedial actions will be requested of NOAA by ADEC. ADEC reserves its rights, under 18 AAC 75 Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Control regulations and AS 46.03 to require NOAA to conduct additional assessment and/or corrective actions, if information indicates the site conditions pose an unacceptable risk to human health, safety, or welfare, or to the environment.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please call me at (907) 269-7552.

Sincerely,

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