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Ms. Queenie Mungin-Davis Army National Guard Installations & Environment – Cleanup Branch 111 S. George Mason Drive Arlington, VA 22204

RE: ADEM Review and Response: *Responsibility for PCE Contamination*, dated September 10, 2020. Mobile OMS-28, Mobile County, Alabama

DSMOA ID: 535-223-0031

Dear Ms. Mungin-Davis:

The Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM or the Department) has reviewed the Alabama Army National Guard's (ALARNG's) letter requesting that they be released from the responsibility to remove tetrachloroethylene (PCE) contamination that is present in soils and groundwater near the Mobile OMS 28 site. ALARNG states that the PCE release into soils is centered approximately 200 feet from the ALARNG property line on an undeveloped, privately owned parcel. ALARNG also states that they have no known historical activities on this privately owned parcel.

ALARNG's letter describes plans to revise the 2014 Feasibility Study (FS) to remove the offsite PCE contamination from their scope of responsibility. However, the Department requests that the ALARNG also include all analytical data, lines of evidence, and rationale supporting the proposed removal of the PCE contaminated area from ALARNG's scope of responsibility as part of the revised FS. This additional information is necessary for the Department to further evaluate the potential responsibility of ALARNG related to the referenced PCE contamination.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Colin Mitchell of the Governmental Hazardous Waste Branch at 334-271-7967 or via e-mail at cjmitchell@adem.alabama.gov.

Sincerely,

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