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June 30, 2009

Reply to the Attention of:

Geotechnical Engineering and
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Randem Ryans
GS2 Engineering & Environmental Consultants, Inc.
4301 Dorchester Road, Unit 12-A
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Dear Mr. Ryans:

In reference to your check no. 10031, dated June 12, 2009, and audit agreement, dated June 23, 2009, an audit based on your AASHTO Accreditation was performed on documents submitted by your laboratory. We examined the AMRL On-site Assessment Report No. 422R, dated October 10, 2009, the CCRL Inspection Report No. K-224, dated April 3, 2009 and the AASHTO accreditation certificate effective June 30, 2009.

Your Quality System meets the requirements of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The material test methods that you are validated to perform for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers were determined from the inspection reports from AASHTO and are as follows:

Aggregate Tests: ASTM C40, C117, C127, C128, C136, C29, C123, C131, C142, C566, C702 D4791, and D5821.

Concrete Tests: ASTM C31, C39, C138, C143, C172, C173, C231, C1064, C42, C78, C157, C192, C341, C495, C496, C511, C597, C642, C803, C805, C1077, C1260, C1231, C1567, and E329.

Masonry, Mortar, & Grout Tests: ASTM C109, C140, and C1019.

Soil Tests: ASTM D421, D698, D854, D1140, D1556, D1557, D1883, D2216, D2487, D2488, D3740, D4318, D4944, and E329.

We will add your laboratory to the list of commercial laboratories qualified to conduct material tests for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; see the Materials Testing Center homepage at <http://www.wes.army.mil/SL/MTC/mtc.htm>. All Corps offices will be notified of this decision and will have the opportunity to use your services. GS2 Engineering & Environmental Consultants, Inc., North Charleston, SC will remain on our list of laboratories qualified to conduct material tests until **June 30, 2011** two (2) years from the date of the audit.

Sincerely,

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Research Civil Engineer
Director, Materials Testing Center

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