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MEMORANDUM

TO: Charles E. Rundgren, Head
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FROM: M. P. Bell
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SUBJECT: Camp Lejeune Water Supply
Onslow County

On Monday, December 10, 1984. I received a telephone call from Bob Alexander, Environmental Engineer, Camp Lejeune Marine Base, regarding suspected contamination of four wells. This contamination was detected by an in-house monitoring program. The analyses were performed by a private lab (name could not be recalled) in Gainesville, Florida, under a Navy contract. The chemicals detected were benzene and trichloroethylene (TCE). The following results were provided by Mr. Alexander:

	<u>Benzene</u>	<u>TCE</u>
Well 601	not detected	0.207 mg/l
Well 602	0.121 mg/l	1.600
Well 603	not detected	0.0046
Well 608	not detected	0.110
*Water Plant Influent		0.047
*Water Plant Effluent		0.195

*Hadnot Point Water Treatment Plant

Mr. Alexander stated that the wells have been removed from service. They anticipate that a resampling program will be initiated. He also indicated that some form of information may be released to the public.

Should you desire further information at this time, Mr. Alexander's telephone number is 451-3034 or 451-3035. We plan to be in close contact with this situation in the future.

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