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In reply, please refer to:

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September 25, 2023

Vice Admiral John Wade Joint Task Force, Red Hill 1025 Quincy Avenue, Suite 900 Joint Base Pearl Harbor Hickam, Hawai'i 96860-5101 [via email only: john.f.wade2.mil@us.navy.mil]

Dear Vice Admiral Wade:

SUBJECT: JTF-RH's Quality Validation Report Repair No. INC 029

The Hawai'i Department of Health (DOH) acknowledges receipt on September 19, 2023, of the Joint Task Force-Red Hill's (JTF-RH's) quality validation (QV) report for Repair No. INC 029. Additionally, on September 20, 2023, we received: 1) test results for the pull test on roof anchors; 2) the contractor Request for Information mentioned on page 10 of the QV report; and 3) photos of the AFFF bypass connection to the F-76 pipeline before the concrete pour. On September 21, 2023, we received the 7-day concrete break test results.

Based on the information submitted, the Quality Validation Engineer's certification on the repair's completion, and the DOH's walkthrough of Repair No. INC 029 on September 20, 2023, the DOH conditionally approves the submission, provided that:

- There are no additional changes (identified by the JTF-RH or DOH) to the Consolidated List of Repairs for Safe Defueling, received on October 24, 2022, or the Incremental Repair List that will affect the portion of the infrastructure for which this conditional approval applies.
- 2. Future or on-going testing or assessment performed on the infrastructure does not produce failed results or the determination of additional needed repairs.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Ms. Kelly Ann Lee, Red Hill Project Coordinator, at (808) 586-4226 or kellyann.lee@doh.hawaii.gov.

Sincerely,

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