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CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Beth Elton, Quality Assurance Officer
Advanced Environmental Laboratories, Inc.
6815 SW Archer Road
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Dear Beth Elton:

FDEP received your proposed corrective action to the deficiency noted in the Overflow Microbiological Analysis Audit Report on July 29, 2011. Thank you for your rapid response and effort made to address the deficiency reported in the audit.

The corrective action in your response is appropriate and is in compliance with the requirements of FDEP Purchase Order # A422A9.

This letter and your response will be attached to the Overflow Laboratory for Microbiological Analysis Audit Report and together with the on-site assessment evaluation checklist will comprise the final audit report.

Based on the information collected and reviewed during the on-site evaluation on July 13, 2011 and contingent upon the corrective action to the deficiency noted in the audit report, Advanced Environmental Laboratories, Inc. – Gainesville meets the minimum criteria for data quality required by FDEP Purchase Order # A422A9 and data reported under this purchase order is acceptable for use by FDEP.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Daisys Tamayo at (850)245-8162.

Sincerely,

David D. Whiting, Program Administrator
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Enclosure
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