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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

June Flowers, Quality Systems Director
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Dear Mrs. Flowers:

FDEP received your proposed corrective actions to the deficiencies noted in the Overflow Microbiological Analysis Audit Report on June 21, 2011. Thank you for your rapid response and effort made to address the deficiencies reported in the audit.

The corrective actions in your response are appropriate and are in compliance with the requirements of FDEP Contract # LAB040. The corrective action to Deficiency #4 is acceptable, with the clarification that at least 10 fecal coliform colonies per month from a positive sample are verified and non-FDEP samples can be used to help meet this requirement.

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 May 11, 2011 and contingent upon the corrective actions to deficiencies noted in the audit report, Flowers Chemical Laboratory – Altamonte Springs meets the minimum criteria for data quality required by FDEP Contract # LAB040 and data reported under this contract 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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