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Completion of Partial Closure Ravenna Arsenal Ammunition Plant (RVAAP) Ravenna, Ohio Building 1601 & Open Burning Ground (OBG) U.S. EPA ID No.: OH5 210 020 736

U.S. Army Ravenna Arsenal Ammunition Plant Attn: Mr. Mark Patterson 8451 State Route 5 Ravenna, Ohio 44266

Dear Mr. Patterson:

According to Ohio EPA records, on February 12, 1998, the Director of the Ohio EPA approved closure plans for the hazardous waste storage area (Building 1601) and the open burning ground area (OBG) of the Ravenna Arsenal Ammunition Plant (RVAAP). The facility is located at 8451 State Route 5 in Ravenna, Ohio. The Ohio EPA has also received certification documents stating that the units have been closed according to the specifications in the approved closure plan. Ohio EPA District Office personnel completed a closure inspection on April 15, 1999.

Based on this inspection, the Ohio EPA has determined that Building 1601 and OBG have been closed in accordance with the approved closure plan and Rules 3745-66-12 through 3745-66-15 of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC). RVAAP remains a hazardous waste treatment, storage and disposal (TSD) facility.

If you have any questions concerning the closure process or the current status of the facility, please contact the Ohio EPA, Northeast District Office, Attn: Gregory Orr, 2110 E. Aurora Road, Twinsburg, Ohio 44087, tel: 330-425-9179.

Sincerely yours,

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Ravenna Army Ammunition Plant Closure Plan Certification For The Open Burning Ground Facility

I certify that the Report of Closure Activities for the Open Burning Ground Facility, Ravenna Army Ammunitions Plant (RVAAP), Ravenna Ohio was prepared under the direction or supervision of the RVAAP staff in accordance with a system designed to ensure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on the RVAAP staff's inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, and of those persons directly responsible for performing the project, the information submitted herein is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for intentionally submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

John A. Jr.

RVARP Commander's Representative

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RVAAP Environmental Program Manager

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