

**WEEKLY PROGRESS UPDATE
FOR JULY 31 - AUGUST 6, 1998**

**EPA REGION I ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER SDWA I-97-1019
MASSACHUSETTS MILITARY RESERVATION
TRAINING RANGE AND IMPACT AREA**

The following summary of progress is for the period from July 31 to August 6, 1998.

1. SUMMARY OF ACTIONS TAKEN

The Executive Summary for the Draft Completion of Work Report was completed and submitted to the original recipients of the report. Additional response actions for Demo Area 1 were discussed with USEPA and MADEP.

2. SUMMARY OF DATA RECEIVED

Preliminary (non-validated) results were reported by the laboratory for the 11 soil samples recently collected from the bottom and sidewalls of the excavation where the buried munitions were exhumed. These samples were collected on July 23 in accordance with the requirements for a response action under the Massachusetts Contingency Plan. No explosives were detected in these samples.

3. DELIVERABLES SUBMITTED

Deliverables submitted during the reporting period included the following:

Weekly Progress Update (July 24 to July 30)

August 3, 1998

4. SCHEDULED ACTIONS

The next meeting of the Impact Area Review Team has been scheduled for September 17, 1998.