UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
PROGRAM PLANNING AND INTEGRATION
Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

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Dear Reviewer:

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) has prepared the *Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (FSEIS) for Replacement of NOAA Southwest Fisheries Science Center – Demolition, Soil Stabilization and Seismic Improvements in La Jolla, California.* NOAA has determined that this FSEIS adequately analyzes and discloses the environmental impacts associated with this project and; therefore, makes this FSEIS available for your review. An electronic copy of this FSEIS may be accessed at:

http://www.seco.noaa.gov/HTML_Blue/OCAO_NEPA.html

If you would like a hard copy or a CD copy of this FSEIS, please send your request to Mr. John Chamberlain via email at john.chamberlain@urs.com, or call (408) 297-9585.

NOAA is not required to respond to comments received as a result of issuance of this FSEIS. However, comments will be reviewed and considered for their impact on issuance of a Record of Decision (ROD). The ROD will be made available publicly following the final agency action on or after June 25, 2012.

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