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Regulatory Division South Permits Branch Antilles Permits Section SAJ-2015-02256 (NW-DCM)

Dr. Ernesto Otero, Director Department of Marine Sciences University of Puerto Rico - Mayagüez Campus P.O. Box 9000 Mayagüez, Puerto Rico 00681

Dear Dr. Otero:

Reference is made to our Department of the Army (DA) Nationwide Permit (NWP) verification letter number SAJ-2015-02256 (NW-DCM) issued on September 16, 2015 (the Permit). The Permit authorized work in navigable waters of the United States for the repair/improvement of the existing concrete dock at the main entrance of the Magueyes Island Field Station. The project is located at the southwestern margin of Magueyes Island, Parguera Ward, Municipality of Lajas, Puerto Rico.

A representative of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) conducted a site inspection on August 9, 2017. The inspection confirmed the work authorized by the Permit has been completed as authorized. Corps personnel also reviewed the file for this project and noted all conditions of the Permit have been met. Therefore, no further action will be required.

In accordance with the General Conditions of the Permit you are required to maintain the project in good condition and if the property is sold, the Permit should be transferred to the new property owner. Although there is a time limit for completing the authorized work, the Permit with its conditions does not expire.

Thank you for your cooperation with our Regulatory Program. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter please contact Mrs. Deborah J. Cedeño-Maldonado, Project Manager, at the letterhead address or by telephone at 787-289-7036.

Sincerely,

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