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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

CEMVD-PD-N

20 MAR '15

MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, New Orleans District

SUBJECT: Results of the Independent External Peer Review (IEPR) of the Greater New Orleans Hurricane and Storm Damage Risk Reduction System (HSDRRS), West Bank and Vicinity (WBV) 14C.2, New Westwego Pump Station to Orleans Village, 3rd Enlargement, Phase 1

1. References:

a. Memorandum, CEMVN-PM-O, 13 February 2015, subject: SAB (encl 1).

b. Memorandum, CEPCX-CSDR, 26 November 2013, subject: CSRM-PCX Endorsement of the Independent External Peer Review of the New Westwego Pump Station to Orleans Village- 3rd Enlargement- Phase 1 (WBV 14C.2) (encl 2).

c. Memorandum, CEMVN-ED-E, 24 June 2014, subject: MVN Summary Report, Independent External Peer Review of the Greater New Orleans Hurricane and Storm Damage Risk Reduction System, WBV 14c.2, New Westwego Pump Station to Orleans Village, 3rd Enlargement, Phase 1 (encl 3).

d. Report, Battelle, 12 November 2013, Final Independent External Peer Review Report of the Greater New Orleans Hurricane and Storm Damage Risk Reduction System, WBV 14c.2, New Westwego Pump Station to Orleans Village, 3rd Enlargement, Phase 1 (encl 4).

e. Engineering Circular 1165-2-209, 31 January 2010, Water Resources Policies and Authorities, Civil Works Policy Review.

f. Engineering Circular 1105-2-410, 22 August 2008, Water Resources Policies and Authorities, Review of Decision Documents.

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2. The Mississippi Valley Division has reviewed the results of the subject final report of the IEPR panel and concurs with the findings and endorsement by the National Planning Center of Expertise for Coastal and Storm Damage Reduction.
3. The New Orleans District should proceed with posting the final IEPR summary report to the New Orleans District website.
4. The MVD point of contact is Mr. Chris Koepfel, CEMVD-PD-N, at (601) 634-5931.



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