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- 2) NOAA Technical Memorandum NOS ORCA 117 - Magnitude and Extent of Sediment Toxicity in Four Bays of the Florida Panhandle: Pensacola, Choctawhatchee, St. Andrew and Apalachicola. October 1997 NOAA National Ocean Service/Office of Ocean Resources

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- 3) NOAA Technical Memorandum NOS ORCA 128 - Magnitude and Extent of
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April 1998 NOAA National Ocean Service/Office of Ocean Resources
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Division, National Status and Trends Program, 289p.
- 4) NOAA Technical Memorandum NOS ORCA xx (Final Draft Report)
Magnitude and Extent of Chemical Contamination and Toxicity in
Sediments of Biscayne Bay and Vicinity.
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