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I want to thank everyone for their participation in the recent meeting in which we discussed the Chemical Plant Groundwater Operable Unit and long-term issues. Following is our understanding of the agreements that were reached in that meeting.

Concerning the Groundwater Operable Unit Record of Decision (ROD), language will be included that addresses the reason for and objectives of institutional control i.e., assure proper restrictions on use of contaminated groundwater and spring water. For DOE owned property the ROD will state that contaminated groundwater will not be used for any purpose and that notice of this determination will be filed in the appropriate real estate records. Further, the ROD will identify impacted property not owned by DOE and state that DOE will engage the property owners, Missouri Department of Conservation and Department of Defense, in discussions to determine the appropriate mechanisms for imposing restrictions on use of contaminated groundwater and/or spring water. Such restrictions could be achieved with an agreement by the owner to self impose or by the owner granting DOE a restrictive easement. Consistent with CERCLA requirements, the need for restrictions would be re-evaluated when performance goals have been achieved, i.e., evaluated in the 5-year review process.

It was also agreed at the meeting that DOE will propose a path forward for addressing land use assurance for impacted areas covered by prior Records of Decision. A strawman proposal will be provided by September 8, 1999.

Again, I want to thank everyone for their time and effort on these important issues.

Sincerely,

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