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*REMOVAL ACTION 14 CONTAMINATED SOILS  
ADJACENT TO THE SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT  
INCINERATOR RESPONSE TO COMMENTS*

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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

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RE: Removal Action 14 Contaminated  
 Soils Adjacent to the Sewage  
 Treatment Plant Incinerator  
 Response to Comments

Dear Mr. Craig:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has completed its review of the United States Department of Energy's (U.S. DOE) Response to Comments (RTC) for Removal Action 14-Contaminated Soils Adjacent to the Sewage Treatment Plant Incinerator. This document also includes U.S. DOE's revised approach to addressing off-site soil contamination in the vicinity of the incinerator.

U.S. EPA concurs with U.S. DOE's proposal to remove soil contaminated with greater than 35 pCi/g total uranium from outside the property boundaries. However, U.S. EPA reminds U.S. DOE that this activity is only an interim measure until the final disposition of contaminated soil material is determined in the final Record Of Decision for Operable Unit 5.

Therefore, U.S. EPA hereby approves the RTC and revised approach to addressing off-site soil contamination in the vicinity of the incinerator. U.S. DOE must submit a final Work Plan within Thirty (30) days receipt of this letter.

If you have any questions regarding this matter please contact me at (312) 886-0992.

Sincerely,

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