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CAR INSPECTIONS DUE TO COMPLETION OF FIELD ACTIVITIES**

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Mr. Phil Harris  
Ohio Environmental Protection Agency  
Southwest District Office  
401 East Fifth Street  
Dayton, Ohio 45402-2911

Dear Mr. Harris:

**REQUEST FOR DISCONTINUATION OF HYDROFLUORIC ACID TANK CAR INSPECTIONS  
DUE TO COMPLETION OF FIELD ACTIVITIES**

The Department of Energy (DOE) and Fernald Environmental Restoration Management Corporation (FERMCO) are seeking a discontinuation of Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) inspections of the Hydrofluoric Acid Tank Car, Hazardous Waste Management Unit #38, due to completion of field closure activities on July 31, 1995. It is suggested that inspections of the tank car be discontinued because the hydrofluoric acid has been removed from the tank car and treated, and no longer poses a threat to the environment. Eliminating these inspections will save personnel time and associated costs, and will not increase the risk to human health and the environment.

The Fernald Environmental Management Project (FEMP) intends to discontinue inspections of the tank car, beginning September 15, 1995.

If you have concerns with discontinuing inspections on that date, please contact Robert Danner of my staff, at (513) 648-3167.

Sincerely,

Jack R. Craig  
Director

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