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**COMMENTS PERTAINING TO THE FERNALD SOUTH FIELD
INJECTION TEST**

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Mr. Jack R. Craig
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Dear Mr. Craig:

This letter is to inform you that the Ohio EPA, Division of Drinking and Ground Waters, Underground Injection Control (UIC) Unit has reviewed your plan for the Fernald South Field Injection Test.

Your work plan (received August 28, 1995) in which you propose to reinject ground water containing total uranium concentrations of less than 20 µg/l is approved. We request that you submit an injection test report following the implementation of your work plan. Please provide an analysis of the injected water used, the volume and rate of the injected water and any ground water monitoring procedures.

If the injection test results indicates that further reinjection is warranted for remediation of the uranium plume in the South Field, the UIC Unit requests that you submit any additional details to this office.

The approval of this Class V UIC work plan in no way relieves the owner/operator of any Class V injection well from the obligation of state or local statutes and any administrative rules adopted thereunder, and no permit of any kind is granted or implied by approval of this work plan.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (614) 644-2752.

Sincerely,

Valerie J. Orr

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