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Mr. Johnny W. Reising
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RE: Full Scale Stabilization

Dear Mr. Reising:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has completed its review of the United States Department of Energy's (U.S. DOE) full scale stabilization work plan and addendum to full scale stabilization work plan. The documents provide a plan for stabilizing lead and arsenic contaminated soil at the trap range and lead contaminated soil at the firing range.

The documents are adequate and hereby approved by U.S. EPA. However, one point requires clarification. The addendum to full scale stabilization work plan states that Severson may elect to excavate the area requiring stabilization to a depth of 4.5 feet Below Ground Surface (BGS) and spread the excavated soil over one of the larger areas for treatment. The addendum to verification treatment sampling plan states that the soil from the 4.5 BGS stabilization area will be spread over Area A for treatment. U.S. DOE must clarify which scenario will be implemented.

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

Sincerely,

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