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 REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:
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Mr. Johnny W. Reising
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RE: OU 5 South Field
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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) Operable Unit (OU) 5 South Field injection test report Response to Comment (RTC).

On April 30, 1996, U.S. EPA approved the revised report and RTC with one exception. This July 8, 1996, submittal adequately addressed the outstanding issue concerning the groundwater model's ability to predict the aquifer's response to various stresses.

Therefore, U.S. EPA approves the RTC. No further action is required regarding this injection test report.

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

Sincerely,

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