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Dear Mr. Saric and Mr. Schneider:

IMPLEMENTATION OF OPERABLE UNIT 5 RECORD OF DECISION - TREATMENT OF DISCHARGES - FERNALD ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROJECT

Reference: **Letter DOE-0529-96, Johnny Reising to James A. Saric and Tom Schneider, "Implementation of Operable Unit 5 (OU5) Record of Decision - Treatment of Discharges at the Fernald Environmental Management Project," dated February 16, 1996.**

Pursuant to Section 9.1.5 of the Operable Unit 5 (OU5) Record of Decision (ROD), the Fernald Environmental Management Project (FEMP) is required to provide written notification to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) and Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (OEPA) within seven days of initiating a bypass of stormwater directly to the Great Miami River. Information requirements for this notification were defined in the reference.

The FEMP initiated a stormwater bypass at 12:00 am, local time, on March 2, 1997, which lasted until 9:30 am local time on March 4, 1997. A total of 3,225,000 gallons of stormwater were bypassed during this period. This bypass was necessary to prevent an overflow of the stormwater retention basins.

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If you have any questions regarding our implementation of these requirements, please contact John Kappa at (513) 648-3149.

Sincerely,

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