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RE: DOE FEMP
APPROVAL: MGT OF F-LISTED WASTE
WATER STREAMS

Mr. Johnny Reising
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Dear Mr. Reising:

Ohio EPA has reviewed DOE's April 15, 1998 letter, "Management of Wastewater Streams Containing F-Listed Constituents-Fernald Environmental Management Project." Ohio EPA approves the approach presented in the referenced letter. Ohio EPA takes this opportunity to reiterate two important points:

- 1) DOE must maintain documentation that demonstrates that each individual waste stream meets the exclusion.
- 2) DOE must develop a sound system for conveying the wastewater to the headworks of the AWWT. If a spill or release of the wastewater occurs prior to it entering the AWWT, it no longer enjoys the exclusion

If you have any questions, please contact Paul Pardi (937) 285-6079 or me.

Sincerely,

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