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Mr. Johnny W. Reising
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RE: A1,P2 Excavation
 Monitoring and
 Precertification PSP

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) Area 1, Phase 2 (A1,P2) excavation monitoring and precertification Project Specific Plan (PSP).

This PSP provides a plan for conducting excavation monitoring during remedial actions at A1,P2, including the sewage treatment plant.

This document is adequate and consistent with other similar PSPs. Therefore, U.S. EPA approves the A1,P2 excavation and monitoring precertification PSP.

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

Sincerely,

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