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Mr. Johnny Reising
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RE: Approval of the PSP for A8Pill-South Precertification Real-Time Scan

Dear Mr. Reising:

Ohio EPA has reviewed DOE's September 3, 1999 submittal on the "Project Specific Plan for Area 8, Phase III-South Precertification Real-Time Scan". Based upon our review, Ohio EPA approves this document.

Section 2.7 states that if physical samples are needed, they will be done through a V/FCN. Physical sampling represents a significant change to a document and should at all times be done through a separate Project Specific Plan.

If you have any questions, please contact Michelle Waller or me.

Sincerely,

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