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October 25, 1999

Mr. Johnny Reising  
U.S. Department of Energy, Fernald Area Office  
P.O. Box 538705  
Cincinnati, OH 45253-8705

**Re: IMPACTED MATERIAL PLACEMENT IN OSDF CELL 3**

Dear Mr. Reising:

This letter provides conditional concurrence with your request (DOE-0068-00) to place impacted material into Cell 3 of the On-Site Disposal Facility prior to Ohio EPAs receipt and approval of the OSDF Construction Quality Control Report (OSDF CQC Report). The conditions of our concurrence are as follows:

1. Placement of all materials must be consistent with the Impacted Materials Placement Plan and
2. Impacted Material Placement must stop if the OSDF CQC Report is not submitted by December 15, 1999

Approval to initiate waste placement prior to completion and submittal of the CQC Report does not mean the facility construction is acceptable. If upon review of the CQC Report it is found the facility was not acceptably constructed, DOE will be required to remove any impacted material necessary to properly complete

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construction.

If you have any questions, please contact Tom Ontko or me.

Sincerely,

*for* 

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