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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

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Mr. Johnny W. Reising  
United States Department of Energy  
Feed Materials Production Center  
P.O. Box 398705  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45239-8705

RE: OMMP for Aquifer  
Restoration

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) September 25, 2000, letter requesting approval to modify the Operations and Maintenance Master Plan (OMPP) for the aquifer restoration and waste water project, allowing for the south plume optimization wells to remain operational when the re-injection wells are not operating..

U.S. EPA believes this request is reasonable and will allow for proper operation of the aquifer restoration and waste water project. Therefore U.S. EPA concurs with the modification of the OMPP.

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

Sincerely,

James A. Saric  
Remedial Project Manager  
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SFD Remedial Response Branch #2

cc: Tom Schneider, OEPA-SWDO  
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