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Dear Mr. Saric and Mr. Schneider:

NOTIFICATION OF MAY 11 THROUGH MAY 12, 2003 STORM WATER BYPASS, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, FERNALD CLOSURE PROJECT

In accordance with Section 9.1.5 of the Operable Unit 5 Record of Decision, the purpose of this letter is to inform you of a storm water bypass event. On May 11, 2003 at 0030 local time a storm water bypass from the Storm Water Retention Basin (SWRB) to the Great Miami River was initiated. Bypassing continued until 2355 on May 12, 2003. The duration of the bypass event was 47.42 hours. A total of 1,840,000 gallons were bypassed during this event.

The bypass was initiated to prevent an overflow of the SWRB to Paddys Run via the Storm Sewer Outfall Ditch. No overflow occurred during this event.

If you should have any question, please contact Robert Janke at (513) 648-3124.

Sincerely,

Johnny Reising

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