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RE: 4th Quarter Aquifer
Reinjection Report

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) fourth quarter 2003 reinjection operating report. The document provides data on the seven reinjection wells and one injection pond at the Fernald site.

The document appears technically adequate and is consistent with previously similar reinjection reports. Therefore, U.S. EPA approves the fourth quarter groundwater reinjection report.

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

Sincerely,

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