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DOE-0415-04

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Dear Mr. Saric and Mr. Schneider:

**TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSES TO THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION AGENCY COMMENTS AND THE REVISED PROJECT SPECIFIC PLAN FOR
CHARACTERIZATION OF SUBSURFACE SOILS BENEATH THE AREA 7 TRANSFER TANK
AREA**

- References:
- 1) Letter DOE-0336-04, W. Taylor to J. Saric/T. Schneider, "Transmittal of the Project Specific Plan for Characterization of Subsurface Soils Beneath the Area 7 Transfer Tank Area," dated July 14, 2004
 - 2) Letter, J. Saric to W. Taylor, "Area 7 TTA PSP," dated August 12, 2004
 - 3) Letter, T. Schneider to W. Taylor, "Approval - PSP for Characterization of Subsurface Soils Beneath the Area 7 TTA," dated August 16, 2004

Enclosed for your review are responses to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) comments and the revised Project Specific Plan (PSP) for Characterization of Subsurface Soils Beneath the Area 7 Transfer Tank Area (Revision 1). These comment responses have been incorporated into the revised PSP.

In response to the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (OEPA) request for clarification of drilling waste disposition in the approval letter (Reference 3), additional information was incorporated into the waste disposition section of the revised plan.

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If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Johnny Reising at (513) 648-3139.

Sincerely,


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Enclosure: As Stated

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**RESPONSES TO
U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
TECHNICAL REVIEW COMMENTS ON THE
PROJECT SPECIFIC PLAN FOR
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