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RE: DOE FEMP
MSL #531-0297
OU4 REMEDIAL ACTION WP-
CONDITIONAL APPROVAL

Mr. Johnny Reising
U.S. DOE FEMP
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Cincinnati, OH 45329-8705

Dear Mr. Reising:

Ohio EPA has reviewed the "Work Plan for the Operable Unit 4 Remedial Action, Phase I" submitted by DOE on October 5, 1995. Ohio EPA has developed the attached comments concerning the Remedial Action Phase 1 Work Plan. The attached comments must be acceptably resolved prior to finalizing the document.

If you should have any questions, please contact Kelly Kaletsky at (513) 285-6454 or me.

Sincerely,

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**COMMENTS FOR OPERABLE UNIT 4 REMEDIAL ACTION
WORK PLAN - PHASE I**

- 1) Commenting Organization: Ohio EPA Commentor: OFFO
 Section #: 2.3.5 Pg #: 2-9 Line #: 16 Code: C
 Original Comment #:
 Comment: Describe how stakeholders expectations will be gathered for the Pre-Construction Alignment meetings. Will there be a stakeholder representative at the meetings?
 Response:
 Action:

- 2) Commenting Organization: Ohio EPA Commentor: OFFO
 Section #: 2.3.6 Pg #: 2-10 Line #: 6 Code: C
 Original Comment #:
 Comment: How is standard and non-standard process equipment differentiated? Is there a list that specifies each piece of equipment? Please clarify.
 Response:
 Action:

- 3) Commenting Organization: Ohio EPA Commentor: OFFO
 Section #: 7.0 Pg #: 7-1 Line #: 5-12 Code: C
 Original Comment #:
 Comment: When hydraulic mining of the silos begins, Ohio EPA believes it is necessary to check the decant sump tank more often to ensure no increased water movement from the silos. Ohio EPA recommends DOE install an electronic water level monitor within the decant sump tank to provide continuous measurements during operation. Such monitoring will allow water level correlations with remediation activities. Additionally, such remote monitoring will reduce personnel exposure during data collection.
 Response:
 Action: