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Dear Mr. Saric and Mr. Schneider:

**TRANSMITTAL OF THE FINAL CERTIFICATION DESIGN LETTER AND  
CERTIFICATION PROJECT SPECIFIC PLAN FOR AREA 6 GENERAL AREA WEST**

- References:
- 1) Letter, J. Saric to J. Reising, "Area 6 General Area West CDL and Certification PSP," dated July 6, 2006
  - 2) Letter DOE-0179-06, J. Reising to J. Saric/T. Schneider, "Transmittal of Responses to Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Comments on the Certification Design Letter and Certification Project Specific Plan for Area 6 General Area West," dated July 31, 2006
  - 3) Letter, T. Schneider to J. Reising, "Approval - RTC Area 6 General Area West," dated August 3, 2006

Enclosed for your approval is the final Certification Design Letter and Certification Project Specific Plan for Area 6 General Area West. This plan was revised to include certification of the Soil Pile 9 footprint (Certification Unit 24) and the approved Ohio Environmental Protection Agency comment responses as noted in References 2 and 3. The draft plan was previously approved by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency as noted in Reference 1.

Mr James Saric  
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If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at (513) 648-3139.

Sincerely,



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Director

Enclosure

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