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**RE: RTCs TO OEPA COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT CDL AND PSP FOR  
CERTIFICATION SAMPLING OF A9, P3 AOL - PART THREE**

Mr. Taylor:

Ohio EPA has reviewed DOE's Transmittal of Responses to Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Comments on the "Draft Certification Design Letter (21140-RP-0004) and Project Specific Plan for Certification Sampling (21140-RP-0006) of A9, Phase III AOL - Part Three," Rev B Drafts dated November 10, 2004. Ohio EPA concurs with DOE's responses and awaits for their incorporation in the submittal of the final certification report.

Should you have any questions, please contact Donna Bohannon or me.

Sincerely,

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