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Mr. William Taylor
US Department of Energy
Ohio Field Office
Fernald Closure Project
175 Tri County Parkway
Springdale, Ohio 45246

**RE: APPROVAL - PROJECT SPECIFIC PLAN FOR EXCAVATION CONTROL AND
PRECERTIFICATION OF THE ARE 6 WASTE PITS AND GENERAL AREA**

Dear Mr. Taylor:

Ohio EPA has reviewed DOE's "Project Specific Plan for Excavation Control and Precertification of the Area 6 Waste Pits and General Area," submitted on May 2, 2005. Based upon this review Ohio EPA approves the document.

Should you have any questions, please contact Kelly Kaletsky or me.

Sincerely,

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Fernald Project Manager
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