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Mr. William Taylor
U.S. Department of Energy
Ohio Field Office
Fernald Closure Project
175 Tri-County Parkway
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**RE: DISAPPROVAL - PSP FOR EXCAVATION CONTROL AND
PRECERTIFICATION OF THE STREAM CORRIDORS PPDD AND PADDYS
RUN**

Mr. Taylor:

Ohio EPA has reviewed DOE's Transmittal of the "Project Specific Plan For Excavation Control and Precertification Of The Stream Corridors Pilot Plant Drainage Ditch and Paddys Run (Supplement to 20300-PSP-0011) 20820-PL-0002, Rev A, dated May 17, 2005. Ohio EPA's comments are enclosed.

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

Sincerely,

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