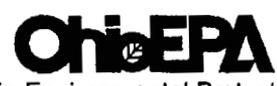


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**RE: APPROVAL- EXCAVATION PLAN FOR AREA 7 SILOS AND GENERAL AREA
and REVISED PSP FOR EXCAVATION CONTROL AND PRECERTIFICATION
OF AREA 7 SILOS AND GENERAL AREA**

Mr. Reising:

Ohio EPA has reviewed DOE's "Transmittal of the Final Excavation Plan for Area 7 Silos and General Area and the Revised Project Specific Plan for the Excavation Control and Precertification of Area 7 Silos and General Area (Supplement to 20300-PSP-0011)" dated October 12, 2005. Ohio EPA approves these documents.

If you have any questions, please contact me or Michelle Waller.

Sincerely,

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