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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

Mr. Johnny W. Reising
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RE: Area 6 Subareas 3 and 4

Dear Mr. Reising:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has completed its review of the United States Department of Energy's (U.S. DOE) Area 6 Subareas 3 and 4 Project Specific Plan (PSP) for predesign. This document provides the data collection activities proposed to support predesign in Subareas 3 and 4 of Area 6.

The document appears technically adequate and is consistent with similar PSPs. Therefore, U.S. EPA approves the Area 6 Subareas 3 and 4 predesign PSP.

Please contact me at (312) 886-0992 if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

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