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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

Mr. Johnny W. Reising
United States Department of Energy
Fernald Closure Project
175 Tri-County Parkway
Springdale, Ohio 45246

SR-6J

RE: Silos 1 and 2 Project Area Concrete
Structures CDL and Certification PSP

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) Certification Design Letter (CDL) and certification Project Specific Plan (PSP) for the Silos 1 and 2 Area selected concrete structures. The document describes data collection activities necessary to demonstrate that the concrete structures in the Silos 1 and 2 Area meet the soil final remediation levels and can be used for beneficial reuse.

The document is technically adequate however, there are two minor inconsistencies that must be addressed. U.S. EPA has enclosed comments on the document. Therefore, U.S. EPA approves the CDL and certification PSP for the Silos 1 and 2 Area selected concrete structures.

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

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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