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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: Various Areas final
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) final Certification Design Letter (CDL) and certification Project Specific Plan (PSP) for various areas outside of the historically radiologically controlled area. The document describes data collection activities necessary to demonstrate that the soil in these areas meet the final remediation levels.

The document is technically adequate and is consistent with similar documents. Therefore, U.S. EPA approves the final CDL and certification PSP for various areas outside of the historically radiologically controlled area.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James A. Saric".

James A. Saric
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cc: Tom Schneider, OEPA-SWDO
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