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RE: APPROVAL - RTC WASTE STORAGE AREA PHASE II DESIGN REPORT

Mr. Reising:

Ohio EPA has received DOE's "Transmittal of Responses to Ohio EPA Comments on the Addendum of the Waste Storage Area Phase II Design Report, Revision A" submitted on July 13, 2006. Based upon our review, Ohio EPA concurs with the response to comments.

If there are any questions, please contact Donna Bohannon or me.

Sincerely,

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