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Attached Whitfield Memo Concerning "Policy on the Use of Innovative Technologies in the Environmental Restoration Program"

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The DOE Headquarters is interested in identifying and using new, innovative technologies where possible in it's cleanup effort. Technology needs should be identified early in the Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS) process. This will allow problems with obvious, readily available solutions to be remediated quickly, while the more difficult problems can be placed on reasonable schedules allowing time to identify and develop the needed technologies

As each Operable Unit enters into the RI/FS process, care should be taken so that innovative technologies are not eliminated from consideration "solely on the grounds that an absence of full scale experience or treatability study data makes their operational performance and cost less certain than other forms of remediation". Program managers should identify and discuss the use of innovative remediation technologies in every primary document. These technologies should be addressed and evaluated with increasing thoroughness in each successive primary document submission

The memo lists a number of sources which can be used to find candidate technologies for potential remedial actions

If you have any questions or comments please contact Scott R. Grace at extension 7199 or Michael Harris at extension 4189

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