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Dear Mr. Wall:

**DRAFT FINAL: PROPOSED PLAN FOR REMEDIAL ACTION FOR THE
GROUNDWATER OPERABLE UNIT AT THE CHEMICAL PLANT AREA OF THE
WELDON SPRING SITE (June, 1999)**

Copies of the subject document are provided in accordance with the Department of Energy/U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) (Region VII) Federal Facility Agreement (FFA). In accordance with your request, DOE has revised and reissued the draft final PP to consider the supplement to the Final Feasibility Study (March 23, 1999) which:

- Incorporated data obtained from a pump test performed at the Chemical Plant area in the summer of 1998;
- Further evaluated alternatives involving groundwater extractions;
- Further evaluated the feasibility of monitored natural attenuation (Alternative 3 presented in the FS and draft final PP), and;
- Discussed the appropriateness of applying an alternative concentration limit strategy

Since issuance of the Draft Final PP in December 1998, the DOE has received comments and held meetings with the regulators to discuss the issues related to the proposed remedy. The revised draft final PP is reflective of the agreements made by DOE at the May 6, 1999 meeting.

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In order to meet the current schedule any further comments will need to be received by June , 1999. We then will prepare to go the public with this proposal by early July. Please contact Karen Reed at (636)441-8978 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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