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Mr. Martell:

**EXTENSION REQUEST TO WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY
(ECOLOGY) LETTER 13-NWP-095**

Reference: Ecology letter from J. A. Hedges and E. Fordham, WDOH, to K. W. Smith, ORP, and L. D. Olson, WRPS, "200 Area Hanford, 242-A Evaporator and 241-AW-102 Double Shell Tank (DST) Joint Ecology Air Operating Permit (AOP # 00-05-006) and DOH (FF-01 License) Audit # 820 Inspection on September 18, 2012," 13-NWP-095, dated September 11, 2013.

The U.S. Department of Energy, Office of River Protection (ORP) and Washington River Protection Solutions LLC (WRPS) are in receipt of the subject letter requesting corrective actions from the joint Ecology and Washington State Department of Health (WDOH) inspection of September 18, 2013. ORP and WRPS have been requested to submit a modification to Notice of Construction (NOC) Order DE05NWP-001, Revision 1, within 30 days and submit a schedule to modify NOC Orders DE05NWP-001 and DE11NWP-001 within 60 days. As directed in Appendix A of the Reference, ORP and WRPS are requesting an extension of 60 days for both submittals. This request is made to allow time to scope and schedule the request with Ecology and WDOH, clarify potential factual concerns, clarify regulatory references and interpretations, compile the necessary technical information to address concerns expressed by Ecology and WDOH, prepare the formal response letter, obtain technical and management reviews, and transmit the requested information.

If you have any questions, please contact Dennis W. Bowser, Environmental Compliance Division, (509) 373-2566.

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