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December 14, 2009

Mr. David A. Brockman, Manager
Richland Operations Office
United States Department of Energy
P.O. Box 550, MSIN: A7-50
Richland, Washington 99352

Re: Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order (Tri-Party Agreement)
Change Package M-15-09-07

Dear Mr. Brockman:

Enclosed is a copy of Tri-Party Agreement Change Control Form M-15-09-07 signed by Matthew McCormick and Jane Hedges. This change package extends an interim milestone to allow discussions regarding the Central Plateau Strategy. Terry Noland picked up the original, signed document at our office on December 4, 2009.

If you have any questions, you may call me at 509-372-7921.

Sincerely,

John B. Price
Tri-Party Agreement Section Manager
Nuclear Waste Program

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Enclosure

cc w/enc: Matt McCormick, USDOE-RL
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Steve Weil, USDOE-RL

Judy Vance, FFS
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Environmental Portal

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Originator M. McCormick	Phone 373-9971
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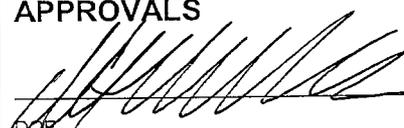
CLASS OF CHANGE		
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CHANGE TITLE Extend Interim Milestone M-015-40E to allow conduct of discussions regarding the Central Plateau Strategy.

DESCRIPTION/JUSTIFICATION OF CHANGE The U. S. Department of Energy (DOE), the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the State of Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) (Parties) signed <i>Agreement in Principle, Negotiation of Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order Revisions to Address CERCLA/RCRA Integration, Integration of Facility Disposition with Remediation of Geographically Associated Waste Sites, Central Plateau Cleanup Completion Strategies and Dispute Resolution Provisions</i> in February 2009. The primary objective of the Agreement-In-Principle (AIP) was to develop a Central Plateau Cleanup Completion Strategy that covers the overall cleanup of the Central Plateau including waste site operable units, excess facilities and groundwater remediation. Details of the strategy are described in DOE/RL-2009-81, <i>Hanford Central Plateau Cleanup Completion Strategy</i> . While technical discussions have been initiated and are continuing on the Central Plateau Strategy, additional time is necessary in order to complete the necessary negotiations and to properly address the Parties inputs. Therefore, the Parties agree to extend Interim Milestone M-015-40E to provide the Parties additional time to finalize discussions on the Strategy. <i>Continued on page 2</i>

IMPACT OF CHANGE This change package provides additional time for the Parties to continue discussions regarding the Central Plateau Cleanup Completion Strategy.
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AFFECTED DOCUMENTS The HFFACO, as amended, and Hanford Site internal planning, management, and budget documents (e.g., USDOE and USDOE contractor Baseline Change Control documents; Multi-Year Work Plan; Sitewide Systems Engineering Control Documents, and Project Management Plans).

APPROVALS	Page 1 of 2
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Description/Justification of Change, continued

Changes to Interim Milestone M-015-40E are indicated by Double Underline to indicate addition of text and by ~~Strikeout~~ to indicate deletion of text.

Milestone	Description	Date
M-015-40E	<p>THE PARTIES WILL COMPLETE NEGOTIATIONS AND DOE WILL SUBMIT A CHANGE PACKAGE FOR NEW INTERIM MILESTONES THAT SET FORTH A SCHEDULE TO COMPLETE THE RI/FS PROCESS FOR 200-SC-1, 200-PW-2, 200-PW-4, 200-TW-1, 200-PW-5, 200-TW-2, 200-LW-1, 200-LW-2, AND 200-BP-5 OPERABLE UNITS. THE PARTIES WILL ALSO COMPLETE NEGOTIATIONS AND DOE WILL SUBMIT A CHANGE PACKAGE FOR THE M-015-00 AND M-015-00C MILESTONES.</p>	<p>12/31/2009 <u>2/28/2010</u></p>