

WASTE SITE RECLASSIFICATION FORM

Operable Unit: 200-WA-1

Control No.: 2014-057

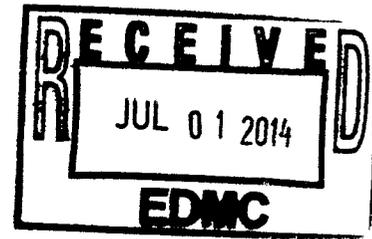
Waste Site Code(s)/Subsite Code(s):

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Reclassification Category: Interim Final
Reclassification Status: Closed Out No Action Rejected
 RCRA Postclosure Consolidated None
Approvals Needed: DOE Ecology EPA
Description of current waste site condition:

(What is the current physical state of the site? What activities have been performed?)

The original Occurrence Report states that, on October 24, 1957, a burial box, used to transport failed equipment from REDOX to the T Plant Canyon, was inadvertently pulled from the rail car when one of the box sling cables caught on a railroad tie, or possibly a switch frog. The area was contaminated up to 2 rads/hour. A considerable amount of contaminated soil was removed, after the event, to decontaminate the area to a maximum of 20,000 counts per minute. Other documentation say the train was in route to U Plant when the event occurred.


Basis for reclassification:

(How does the site meet the reclassification status?)

This 1957 Unplanned Release should be Reclassified to Rejected because the exact location of the spill cannot be located. The route of the shipment is described differently in historical documents. Multiple potential locations where the railcar may have fell exist along the 200 West Area railroad tracks. A 2004 extensive search for evidence of the spill location, using radiation detection equipment, could not find evidence of this event's location.

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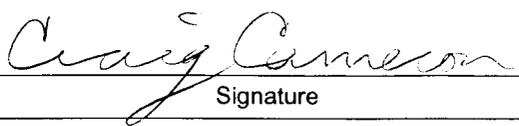
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Project Manager comments:

Waste Site Controls:

Engineered Controls: Yes No Institutional Controls: Yes No O&M Requirements: Yes No

If any of the Waste Site Controls are checked Yes, specify control requirements including reference to the Record of Decision, TSD Closure Letter, or other relevant documents:

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N/A Ecology Project Manager (printed)	Signature	Date
Craig Cameron EPA Project Manager (printed)		5/5/14 Date