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February 4, 2015

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Mr. Michael Cline, Acting Federal Project Director
Richland Operations Office
United States Department of Energy
PO Box 550, MSIN: A5-11
Richland, Washington 99352

Re: Approval of the United States Department of Energy's Request for Extension for Comment Response and Plan for Document Update: *Groundwater Sampling and Analysis Plan for the 200-PO-1 Groundwater Operable Unit*, DOE/RL-2014-31, Draft A

Dear Mr. Cline:

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) received the United States Department of Energy – Richland Operations Office's request for a 90-day extension to determine a path forward, resolve Ecology comments, and update the referenced document. Ecology approves this 90-day extension. The new due date is April 30, 2015.

Please contact Kim Welsh to schedule a meeting with Ecology to discuss the disposition of the comments and responses.

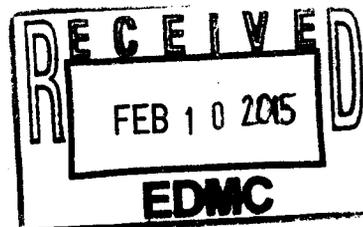
If there are any questions, please contact me at nina.menard@ecy.wa.gov or (509) 372-7941, or Kim Welsch, 200 Area ER Lead, at kim.welsch@ecy.wa.gov or (509) 372-7882.

Sincerely

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