

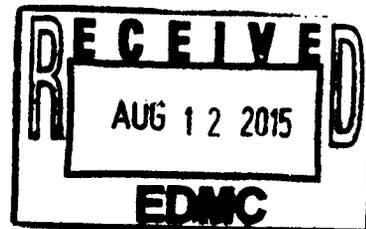


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Dear Ms. Hedges:

REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION REPORT FOR THE 200-BP-5 GROUNDWATER
 OPERABLE UNIT, DOE/RL-2009-127, DRAFT A 1230670

This letter transmits the Remedial Investigation Report for the 200-BP-5 Groundwater Operable Unit, DOE/RL-2009-127, Draft A for your review and comment within 45 days of receipt.

The U.S. Department of Energy Richland Operations Office has completed a Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act Remedial Investigation of the 200-BP-5 Groundwater Operable Unit within the 200 Area National Priorities List site, located at the Hanford Site in Washington State. The Remedial Investigation was conducted to: (1) collect data to define the nature and extent of contamination, (2) assess contaminant fate and transport, and (3) evaluate potential risks to human health and the environment from 200-BP-5 Operable Unit contaminants and whether based on these risks, a Feasibility Study to evaluate remedial alternatives is warranted.

The information collected during the Remedial Investigation and associated analysis will support the development of a combined Feasibility Study for the 200 East Area Groundwater Operable Units (200-BP-5 and 200-PO-1).

If you have any questions, please contact me, or your staff may contact, Mike Cline of my staff, on (509) 376-6070.

Sincerely,

Ray J. Corey, Assistant Manager
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Attachment

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