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Dear Messrs. Lundstrom and Sherwood:

REMEDIATION STRATEGY FOR THE 200-BP-1 OPERABLE UNIT

The purpose of this letter is to remind the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the State of Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) of your continued delay in issuance of the Proposed Plan for the 200-BP-1 Operable Unit. The U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office, has met all of the Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order (Tri-Party Agreement) milestones associated with this operable unit; the most recent being target milestone M-15-02E-T2, submit the 200-BP-1 Proposed Plan to EPA and Ecology by January 31, 1994. The Tri-Party Agreement identifies a June 1, 1994, target milestone for EPA issuance of a final Record of Decision (ROD) for the 200-BP-1 Operable Unit; and another target milestone for DOE to complete remediation activities at the 200-BP-1 Operable Unit 15 months after the ROD is issued but no sooner than October 1, 1995. 34016

The plan is expected to be issued in December 1994, almost a year after its submittal to EPA, with issuance of the final ROD in August 1995. This equates to more than a year delay to the schedule specified in the Tri-Party Agreement. A copy of the current 200-BP-1 remediation schedule, assuming a December 1994 issuance of the plan, is attached. Please note that any further delays will equate to a day for day slip. Additionally, due to the delays, funding for the remediation has been shifted to other activities during fiscal year 1995. If you have any questions or need further information, please feel free to contact Mr. Bryan Foley of the Plateau Remediation Division on 376-7087.

Sincerely,

Robert G. Holt
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Attachment

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Messrs. Lundstrom and Sherwood

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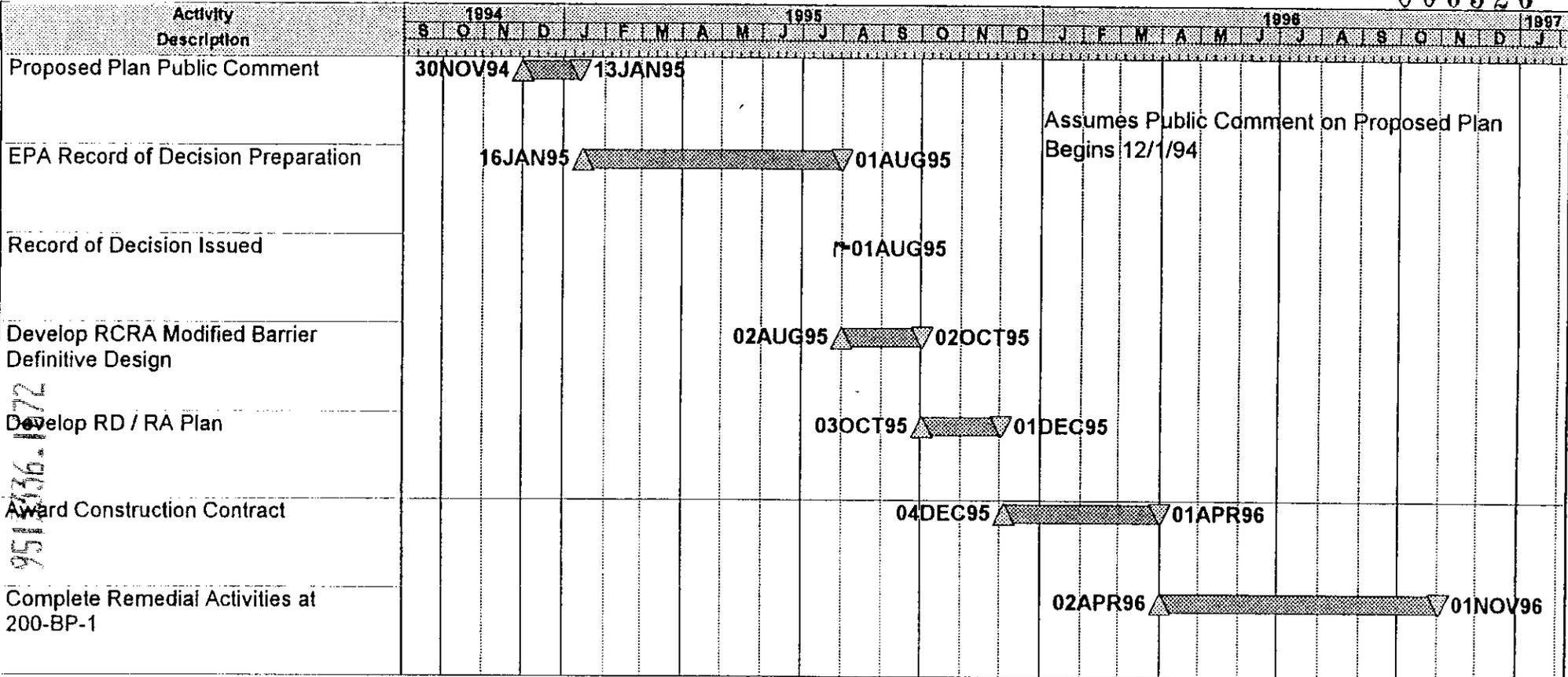
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Assumes Public Comment on Proposed Plan Begins 12/1/94

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Project Start	30NOV94		Early Bar
Project Finish	02APR96		Progress Bar
Date Data	30NOV94		Critical Activity
Plot Date	10NOV94		

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Mark Buckmaster - OU Coordinator
200-BP-1 REMEDIATION SCHEDULE