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Dear Messrs. Lundstrom and Witczak:

NOTIFICATION OF INITIATION OF CLOSURE ACTIVITIES FOR THE 2727-S NONRADIOACTIVE DANGEROUS WASTE STORAGE FACILITY

In accordance with the Hanford Facility Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Permit (RCRA Permit), Condition V.3.B.a, this letter provides written notification to the State of Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) that closure of the 2727-S Nonradioactive Dangerous Waste Storage (NRDWS) Facility has begun and is being conducted in accordance with the closure plan and applicable RCRA Permit Conditions. RCRA Permit Condition V.3.B.a also requires that this notification be provided to Ecology within 30 days of closure plan approval through RCRA Permit issuance. *21200* *23621*

The 2727-S NRDWS Facility operated as a RCRA treatment, storage, and/or disposal unit for the storage of containerized, nonradioactive dangerous waste until the unit ceased waste storage operations in 1986. In accordance with the closure plan and with Ecology concurrence and oversight, the storage building and its concrete support pad were demolished in 1992 and unit soils were sampled and analyzed. All that remains to complete physical closure is the Hanford Site recontouring and revegetation. This activity is awaiting Ecology consent to clean close the unit.



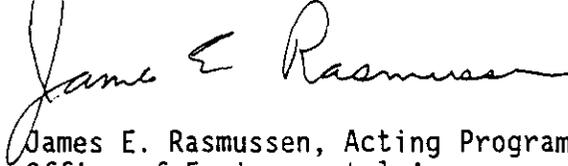
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Should you have any questions, please contact Ms. E. M. Mattlin,
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Sincerely,



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