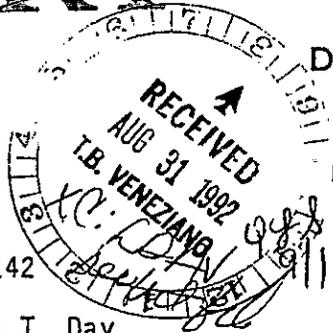


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Dear Messrs. Day and Jansen:

THE DRAFT B 200-UP-2 REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION/FEASIBILITY STUDY (RI/FS) OPERABLE UNIT (OU) WORK PLAN

This letter transmits the Draft B 200-UP-2 OU Work Plan for review and comment by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and State of Washington Department of Ecology. This report fulfills Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order (Tri-Party Agreement) interim milestone M-12-15 for submittal of this work plan as a primary document.

The 200-UP-2 RI/FS Work Plan is the first work plan prepared utilizing guidelines as defined within the Hanford Past Practice Strategy (HPPS) and relying upon information provided by the relevant Aggregate Area Management Study Report (AAMSR), (i.e., U Plant AAMSR, DOE/RL-91-52, Draft A, January 1992). Since the scope of this document is developed to meet the guidance in HPPS, DOE/RL-92-04, it is a dramatic departure from former work plans. Therefore, it is anticipated that the development of Hanford specific detailed guidance to support such work plans will be the subject of future discussions. Since this document is prepared prior to such development, it is further anticipated that this work plan will serve to facilitate future discussion among Tri-Party Agreement participants.

This revision of the 200-UP-2 RI/FS work plan is based on the results of the U Plant AAMSR. Therefore, the format of this work plan is designed to maximize the referencing of information presented in the U Plant AAMSR and, thereby greatly reducing the size of the work plan. As part of this streamlining process, the Sampling and Analysis Plan has been incorporated into Section 5. For your convenience, a table is enclosed showing the relationship between the sections of the original 200-UP-2 and this draft. This work plan is designed to implement the HPPS through the use of Limited Field Investigations to obtain additional data to support Interim Remedial Measures.

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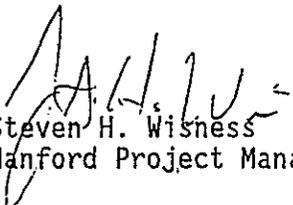
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