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Dear Messrs. Rasmussen and Adair:

Re: Part A Submittal for the 616 Nonradioactive Dangerous Waste Storage Facility

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) has received and reviewed the 616 Nonradioactive Dangerous Waste Facility Part A, Revision 6, dated October 1, 1996. This revision was submitted in fulfillment of WAC 173-303-805(7)(a)(iv).

Major changes noted in the Summary of Changes include removal of Dangerous Waste Number WC02, per the revised WAC 173-303, removal of Dangerous Waste Numbers WL01 and WL02, addition of Dangerous Waste Number WSC2, and identification of the Treatment, Storage, or Disposal Boundaries.

Ecology has identified the following changes not noted in the Summary of Changes:

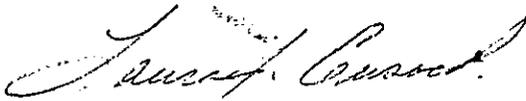
- Removal of waste codes P057, P058, and P059 - Conversations with Mr. Roger Bowman indicate this was an intentional change not noted on the summary.
- An increase in estimated annual quantity of waste (Section IV) received for waste codes U004 through U012, U045 through U050, and U144. The increase from 500 kilograms to 1,000 kilograms appears to be an unintentional typographical error.

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Ecology is approving the 616 Nonradioactive Dangerous Waste Storage Facility Part A, Revision 6, as submitted. If the U.S. Department of Energy (USDOE) determines the newly identified changes listed above are in error, the Part A should be revised, certified, and submitted to Ecology by December 31, 1996.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at (509) 736-3038.

Sincerely,



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