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Dear Mr. Bond:

ENGINEERING EVALUATION/COST ANALYSIS (EE/CA) FOR THE 224-T PLUTONIUM
CONCENTRATION FACILITY, DOE/RL-2003-62, REVISION 0

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Enclosed is a draft copy of the subject EE/CA for the 224-T Plutonium Concentration Facility, DOE/RL-2003-62, Revision 0, for your review. This copy incorporates the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency comments.

The 45-day State of Washington Department Ecology review period will extend the scheduled public comment period from January 12, 2004, to February 26, 2004. If any significant concerns or comments are found early in your review prior to the January 12 public review date, please contact Larry Romine at (509) 376-4747 about revising the EE/CA prior to public release.

Please send any comments by February 17, 2004, to:

Larry Romine
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If you have questions, please contact me, or your staff may contact L. D. Romine, Office of the Assistant Manager for the Central Plateau, on (509) 376-4747.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joel Hebbon". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish at the end.

Joel Hebbon, Director
Regulatory Compliance and Analysis Division

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Enclosure

cc w/encl:

T. B. Bergman, FHI
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