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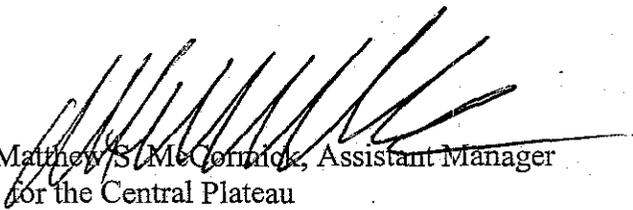
Dear Mr. Wilson:

TRANSMITTAL OF THE BURIAL GROUND SAMPLING AND ANALYSIS RESULTS FOR
 JULY - SEPTEMBER 2004

Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order (Tri-Party Agreement) Milestone M-91-40, requirement 2, paragraph 3, requires quarterly reports of results from retrieval burial grounds sampling and analysis plan sampling activities. No sampling and analysis activities were conducted as part of the applicable sampling and analysis plan for the 218-W-4C Burial Ground during the July - September 2004 quarter; therefore, there are no analysis results provided for this period. This letter is intended to meet the quarterly report requirement.

If you have questions, please contact me, or your staff may contact Mark French, Office of the Assistant Manager for the Central Plateau, on (509) 373-9863.

Sincerely,


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