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Dear Ms. Hedges and Mr. Sherwood:

TRANSMITTAL OF THE "DESCRIPTION OF WORK FOR DRILLING AT THE 183-DR SITE
IN SUPPORT OF THE IN SITU GASEOUS REDUCTION TEST," PNNL-13261

Attached is a copy of the subject document for your information. This report describes field activities associated with the installation of boreholes to verify the presence of hexavalent chromium in the vadose zone at the location of the former 183-DR facility in the 100-D Area. This description of work does not cover the follow-up In Situ Gaseous Reduction (ISGR) treatability-testing activities, which would be addressed in a subsequent test plan, should sufficient hexavalent chromium contamination be found in the vadose zone to warrant an ISGR treatability test.

If you should have any questions, please contact me on (509) 373-9631.

Sincerely,

Arlene C. Tortoso, Project Manager
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Attachment

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