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**CERTIFIED MAIL**

Mr. Steven H. Wisness  
U.S. Department of Energy  
P.O. Box 550, MSIN: A2-15  
Richland, Washington 99352

Dear Mr. Wisness:

Re: State Waste Discharge Permit No. 4503, 183-N Backwash Discharge Pond

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) has received information and has verified that the above-referenced facility is no longer discharging wastewater into the waters of the state. In view of the foregoing, your State Waste Discharge Permit No. 4503 is canceled. 47291

In the event you anticipate a discharge of wastewater from your facility into either subsurface or groundwaters, you are required to submit an application for a waste discharge permit to Ecology at least one hundred and eighty (180) days prior to the anticipated discharge.

If you have any questions regarding this cancellation letter, please contact Kathy Conaway at (509) 736-3045.

Sincerely,

Michael Wilson, Manager  
Nuclear Waste Program

RS:KC:sb

cc: Douglas Sherwood, EPA  
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Administrative Record: ST Permit 4503