

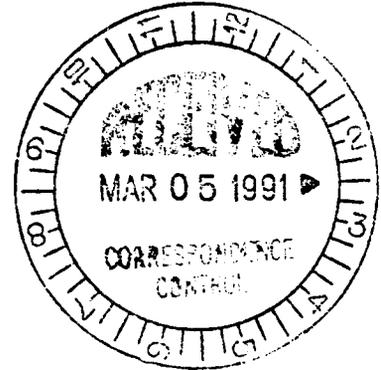


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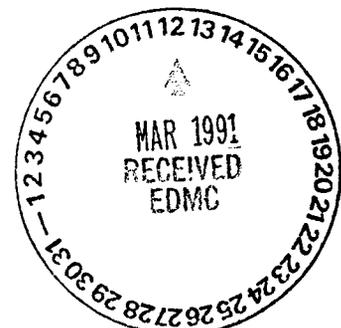
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Dear Mr. Willey:

THE 2711-E STEAM CLEANING PAD STATUS AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS

This letter is in follow-up to the January 17, 1991, meeting held between yourself, Mr. Osweiler, representatives from the U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office (DOE-RL) and the Westinghouse Hanford Company (WHC). The following items were discussed in our meeting and are being reiterated here for the sake of clarity:

- The 2711-E Steam Cleaning Pad is no longer in operation and will not be operated until the rinsate discharge system has been retrofitted.
- It is proposed that the steam cleaning pad be modified in such a manner as to collect the rinsate rather than discharge it to the french drain. The accumulated rinsate could be sampled, and subsequent to analysis, be transferred to the 1100 Area for discharge to a Public Operated Treatment Works.
- The need for remediation of the french drain serving the steam cleaning sump will be based on sample analysis results. If remediation is deemed necessary, then it is proposed that the 2711-E Steam Cleaning Pad remediation be evaluated as part of the 200-SS-1 operable unit evaluation.
- As discussed, the process discharges from the 200 East Area Equipment Maintenance Facility (2711-E Facility), located just southeast of the 2711-E Steam Cleaning Pad, are also of interest to the State of Washington Department of Ecology. The enclosed drawing provides details of all process discharges from this facility. Also enclosed is a description of the highlighted areas of the drawing.



Mr. Daniel Willey

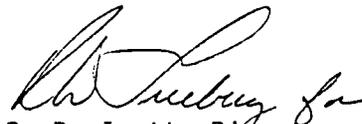
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As stated, the sampling of the sump sludge will be scheduled as soon as the proper arrangements and procedures have been provided for.

In the interim, any questions concerning the above discussion can be directed to Ms. D. J. Williams, DOE-RL, on (509) 376-8488; or Mr. B. G. Erlandson, WHC, on (509) 376-5969.

Sincerely,



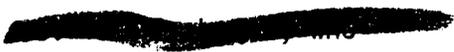
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