

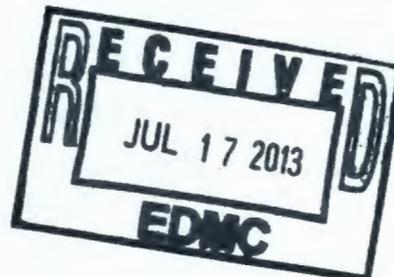


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March 7, 2002

Mr. Joel Hebdon, Director  
Regulatory, Analysis and Compliance Division  
United States Department of Energy  
P.O. Box 550, MSIN: A5-58  
Richland, Washington 99352



Dear Mr. Hebdon:

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) is in receipt of your letter, *Notification that Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order (Tri-Party Agreement) Interim Milestone M-91-12A, "Complete Thermal Treatment of at least 240 Cubic Meters of Contact Handled Low-Level Mixed Waste by December 31, 2002" Will Not be Met as Scheduled*, dated February 22, 2002.

This notification states that the United States Department of Energy-Richland Operations Office (USDOE) and its contractor, Fluor Hanford, Inc., have been evaluating, and are still pursuing, treatment options. However, this information has not been provided to Ecology for review.

Ecology hereby requests the USDOE provide the following information:

1. A full list of treatment options considered.
2. Criteria used in evaluating each treatment option.
3. Explanation for not selecting each treatment option.
4. Criteria USDOE has determined to use to select any viable options.
5. Additional options still being considered.

Please provide this information to Ecology within thirty (30) days. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 736-3022.

Sincerely,

Fred C. Jamison, Waste Management Project Manager  
Nuclear Waste Program

cc: George Sanders, USDOE  
Todd Martin, HAB  
Roger Bowman, FH

Ken Niles, OOE  
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