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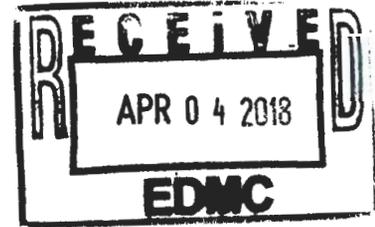
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Dear Addressees:

COMPLETION OF HANFORD FEDERAL FACILITY AND CONSENT ORDER
MILESTONE M-82-10-T01, "COMPLETE ISOLATION/STABILIZATION OF RETIRED
FILTERS AND PROVIDE OPERATING CANYON VENTILATION SYSTEM FOR
SURVEILLANCE AND MAINTENANCE PHASE (PROJECT W-059)"

This letter provides notification of Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order
Milestone M-82-10-T01, "Complete Isolation/Stabilization of Retired Filters and Provide
Operating Canyon Ventilation System for Surveillance and Maintenance (S&M) Phase (Project
W-059)," due September 30, 1999.

The milestone description states that Project W-059 will provide for isolation of the retired filters
and provide an active canyon ventilation system suitable for the S&M phase. The new B Plant
ventilation system became operational on July 13, 1998, with the completion of acceptance
testing. Isolation of the retired filters was completed August 31, 1998. With operation of the

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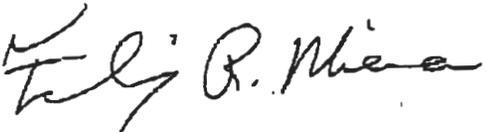
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ventilation system and isolation of the retired filters, Milestone M-82-10-T01 was completed more than one year before the due date.

If you have any questions, please contact David T. Evans, B Plant/WESF Program Manager, on (509) 373-9278.

Sincerely,


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