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Dear Ms. Hedges:

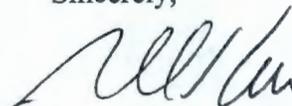
REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION REPORT FOR THE 200-LW-1 (300 AREA CHEMICAL LABORATORY WASTE GROUP) AND 200-LW-2 (200 AREA CHEMICAL LABORATORY WASTE GROUP) OPERABLE UNITS

We are transmitting Draft A of the Remedial Investigation Report for the 200-LW-1 (300 Area Chemical Laboratory Waste Group) and 200-LW-2 (200 Area Chemical Laboratory Waste Group) Operable Units for your evaluation in accordance with Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order (Tri-Party Agreement) milestone M-015-46A.

Our conclusion is that a Feasibility Study is required to evaluate the potential risk of contaminating groundwater from the representative and individual analogous waste sites.

If you have any questions, please contact me, or you may contact Matt McCormick, Assistant Manager for the Central Plateau, on (509) 373-9971.

Sincerely,


For Keith A. Klein
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