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Michael J. Lawrence, Manager
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Dear Mr. Lawrence:

RE: Negotiation of Land Disposal Restriction Agreement

The following responds to your October 17, 1989 letter to me in which you propose negotiation of a state/USEPA/USDOE agreement addressing the implementation of "RCRA" hazardous waste land disposal restrictions (LDR). Please be assured that we recognize 1) the need for such an agreement, and 2) that present land disposal prohibitions can not be immediately applied, in total, to the complex and recently recognized field of mixed waste management.

Accordingly, I have asked Roger Stanley to work with your staff in negotiating language which ensures that LDR prohibitions are met, but which does so within the context of milestones established under the Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order.

It is our hope that these negotiations can be completed in time for inclusion within the coming annual update of the Hanford Agreement.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Christine O. Gregoire".

Christine O. Gregoire
Director

cc: Robie Russell
Jay Manning



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