Tri-Party Agreement

EXTENSION TO DISPUTE RESOLUTION FOR HANFORD FEDERAL FACILITY AGREEMENT AND CONSENT ORDER (TRI-PARTY AGREEMENT) INTERIM MILESTONE M-34-14A

On July 6, 1999, the U.S. Department of Energy invoked the dispute resolution provisions of Tri-Party Agreement Article XVI, Resolution of Disputes, concerning the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) disapproval of Tri-Party Agreement Change Request M-34-99-01. The dispute resolution period is hereby extended two weeks through August 12, 1999, at the Project Manager level. The dispute resolution is being extended due to an evaluation and decision to accept the existing Immersion Pail Support Structure with leak mitigation, in lieu of the proposal for a wall supported Cask Loadout System design as described in M-34-99-01.

Jay M. Augustenborg
Acting Assistant Manager
for Waste Management
U.S. Department of Energy
Richland Operations Office

Douglas R. Sherwood
Hanford Project Manager
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

cc: J. R. Wilkinson, CTUIR
L. E. Gadbois, EPA
M. A. Wilson, Ecology
S. B. Cherry, FDH
P. T. Day, FDH
J. S. Hertzel, FDH
R. G. Jones, FDH
R. E. Piippo, FDH
N. H. Williams, FDH
P. Sobotta, NPT
M. L. Blazek, OOE
R. Jim, YN
Administrative Record, H6-06

AUG 1999 RECEIVED EDMC