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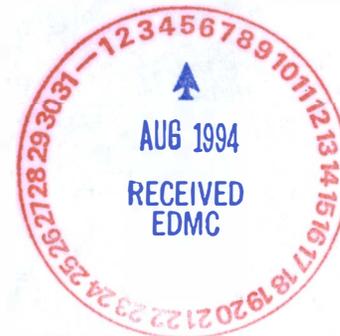
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Dear Messrs Nylander and Sherwood:

FILTRATION TEST PLAN SUBMITTAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FINAL JOINT PERMIT FOR DANGEROUS WASTE RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, AND DEMONSTRATION TREATMENT AND STORAGE ACTIVITY

The Final Joint Permit for Dangerous Waste Research, Development, and Demonstration Treatment and Storage Activity (RD&D Permit), Permit Number WA7 89000 8967, issued to the U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office (RL) and Westinghouse Hanford Company (WHC), requires the submittal of specific details of each test to be performed under the RD&D Permit (permit condition II.C.2.) at least 30 days prior to commencement of the test. Accordingly, the enclosed test plan, "C-018 LERF Filtration Test Plan," WHC-SD-C018H-TP-010, is hereby submitted.

The test plan identifies filtration test efforts to be conducted at the Liquid Effluent Retention Facility (LERF). No other efforts covered by the RD&D Permit are planned for the LERF at this time. Additionally, the 1706-KE Pilot Plant construction/installation has been terminated. No efforts covered by the RD&D Permit are planned to be conducted at the 1706-KE Building, nor is dangerous waste subject to this RD&D Permit planned to be introduced into the 1706-KE Building. Should these plans change during the effective period of the RD&D Permit, appropriate notifications will be transmitted to EPA and Ecology. RL/WHC requests your concurrence that, if no effort is conducted at the 1706-KE Building, no formal closure under permit condition II.K will be required for that facility.

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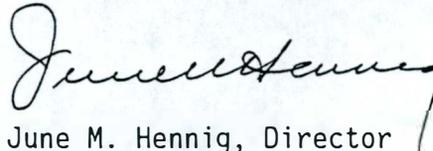
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Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. C. E. Clark of RL on (509) 376-3999 or Mr. R. C. Bowman of WHC on (509) 376-4876.

Sincerely,



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