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Dear Messrs. Alexander and Sherwood:

TRANSMITTAL OF THE 100-FR-3 OPERABLE UNIT (OU) FOCUSED FEASIBILITY STUDY (FFS) REPORT, DOE/RL-94-58, DRAFT B

Attached are two copies of the subject document for your review. Comments are due by close of business, February 14, 1996. This transmittal fulfills the Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order (Tri-Party Agreement) Milestone M-15-13G, Submit 100-FR-3 OU FFS Report to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the State of Washington, Department of Ecology (Ecology).

As per the recommendation by EPA, stated in a letter to the U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office (RL) dated October 24, 1995, an Interim Action Proposed Plan for the 100-FR-3 OU will not be submitted as required to fulfill Milestone M-15-13H. Agreement was reached by EPA, Ecology, and RL that a Focus Sheet be prepared detailing the justification for not issuing a proposed plan. The Focus Sheet will be transmitted to EPA and Ecology under separate cover prior to the December 31, 1995, milestone date. A National Priorities List Agreement Form and a Tri-Party Agreement Change Control Form, to change the requirement for the milestone, is in preparation for signature by EPA, Ecology, and RL.

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Messrs. Alexander and Sherwood

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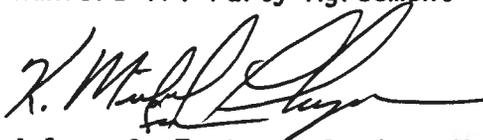
If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Arlene Tortoso at 373-9631.

Sincerely,



P.F.X. Dunigan, Jr., Administrator  
Hanford Tri-Party Agreement

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Attachment

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