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Meeting Minutes Transmittal/Approval
Unit Managers Meeting: B-Pond
1100 Jadwin, Room 532
Richland, Washington

Meeting Held February 27, 1991

B-Pond Closure Plan, Unit Managers' Approval

Sandra L. Trine Date: 4/23/91
Sandra L. Trine, Unit Manager, DOE-RL, ERD

Daniel L. Duncan Date: 4/23/91
Daniel L. Duncan, EPA Region 10 RCRA, Program Manager

Joseph Witczak Date: 3/20/91
Joseph Witczak, Unit Manager, Washington State Department of Ecology

Fred A. Ruck III Date: 3/20/91
Fred A. Ruck III, WHC, Contractor Representative

PURPOSE: Monthly status report.

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- Attachment #2 - Attendance List
- Attachment #3 - Agenda



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Attachment #1

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Summary of Discussion

A status on B Pond's Phase III drilling activities was provided by WHC (Richard Roos).

- o Drilling work on A Lobe is continuing, and at the time of the meeting it had reached a depth of approximately 120 feet, and six and a half feet of fill ~~are left before~~ the bottom of the pond. ^{INCLUDES} ~~are left before~~ ^{3/20/91}
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- o There has been only one lithological layer of any significance encountered in the drilling, which was a sandy, silty layer between 51 and 55 feet. An extra sample was taken there. Other than this, drilling has mostly involved sands and gravels.
- o There was an approximately six-foot layer at about the 100-foot depth which was very dry and extremely hard drilling. The conclusion of the geologists was that the flurry gravel coming out was pulverized pieces of large rock, which explained why it was so dry. After this layer, the drilling has been "back to normal."
- o It is hoped that another drilling rig will soon be available for B Lobe. Optimistically, the drilling on B Pond could be completed by the end of April 1991.
- o As a result of previous drilling around B Pond, the geology of B and C Lobes is expected to differ from A Lobe in that they will likely be more cobbly. Some hard tooling is expected in these two holes.
- o There have been no rad hits, and there have been no indications at this time of ~~radiological~~ contamination. ^{CHEMICAL} ^{3/20/91}

Work is under way for procuring laboratories for the splits for SW 846.

The next meeting will be held March 29 in Lacey, Washington.

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Attachment #2

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Attendance List

<u>Name</u>	<u>Organization</u>	<u>Phone</u>
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J. Witczak	Ecology	206-438-7557

Attachment #3

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Agenda

- o Status of Phase III Drilling Activities
- o New Business