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Mr. Keith A. Klein, Manager  
Richland Operations Office  
United States Department of Energy  
P.O. Box 550, MSIN: A7-50  
Richland, Washington 99352

Re: Closure of the 303-M Uranium Oxide Facility

Dear Mr. Klein:

The Department of Ecology has completed the decision making process for closure of the 303-M Uranium Oxide Facility, a Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) treatment, storage, and disposal unit. We are proceeding to close this unit by terminating interim status requirements and denying final status for the 303-M Uranium Oxide Facility.

Ecology concurs that this facility meets the criteria for closure in accordance with the regulations.

If you have any questions, call me at 509-732-7885.

Sincerely,

Rick Bond  
Transition Project Manager  
Nuclear Waste Program

JA:njr  
Enclosure

cc w/enc: Nick Ceto, EPA  
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Environmental Portal



	WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF <b>ECOLOGY</b>	<b>Dangerous Waste Permit Application Part A Form</b>
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Date Received	Reviewed by: <i>J.P. Davis</i>	Date:	1 0 1 0 2 0 0 5
Month Day Year	Approved by: <i>J.P. Davis</i>	Date:	1 0 3 0 2 0 0 5
0 9 3 0 2 0 0 5	<b>CLOSED ON JUNE 15, 2006</b>		

**I. This form is submitted to: (place an "X" in the appropriate box)**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Request modification to a final status permit (commonly called a "Part B" permit)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Request a change under interim status
<input type="checkbox"/>	Apply for a final status permit. This includes the application for the initial final status permit for a site or for a permit renewal (i.e., a new permit to replace an expiring permit).
<input type="checkbox"/>	Establish interim status because of the wastes newly regulated on: _____ (Date) _____
List waste codes: _____	

**II. EPA/State ID Number**

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**III. Name of Facility**

US Department of Energy – Hanford Facility

**IV. Facility Location (Physical address not P.O. Box or Route Number)**

**A. Street**

825 Jadwin

<b>City or Town</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>ZIP Code</b>
Richland	WA	99352

<b>County Code (if known)</b>	<b>County Name</b>
0 0 5	Benton

<b>B. Land Type</b>	<b>C. Geographic Location</b>	<b>D. Facility Existence Date</b>
	Latitude (degrees, mins, secs) Longitude (degrees, mins, secs)	Month Day Year
F	S E E T O P O M A P	0 3 0 2 1 9 4 3

**V. Facility Mailing Address**

**Street or P.O. Box**

P.O. Box 550

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