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Dear Messrs. Wagoner and Trego:

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) accepts the closure certification for the 2101-M Pond (D-2-1), finding it to fulfill the requirements of the Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 173-303-610(6). This unit closure was conducted in accordance with WAC 173-303-610(2) closure performance standards and the closure requirements contained in Part V, Chapter 7, of the Dangerous Waste Portion of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Permit for the Treatment, Storage, and Disposal of Dangerous Waste (Permit Number WA 7890008967). Cleanup levels of the Model Toxics Control Act 173-340, Method B, and Hanford Site Background have been met, allowing this unit to clean close.

Clean closure releases the owner and co-operators from the requirements of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act for this unit. You are, therefore, request to resubmit Form 3 of the Part A for this unit stamped "CLOSED, as of this date." In future modifications of the Facility Wide Permit, Ecology will indicate this unit was clean closed as of this date at the following three locations:

- In the Table of Contents, Part V, for the 2101-M Pond
- In Attachment 27 (Permit Modification Schedule) at the 2101-M entry
- On the first page of Chapter 7 of Part V

If you have any questions or concerns, please call Moses Jaraysi at (509) 736-3016.

Sincerely,

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