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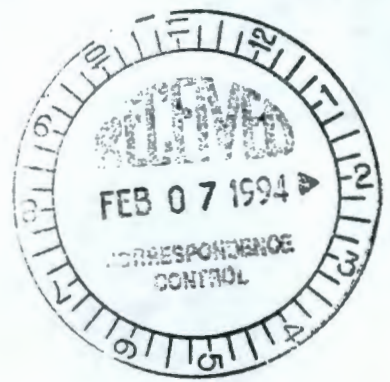


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Dear Mr. Bauer:

I have received your letter dated January 10, 1994 and the attached information describing modifications made to the 242-A Evaporator Vessel Vent Stack 296-A-22 Monitoring System. The modifications described were needed to bring the monitoring system into compliance with the requirements of the radionuclide NESHAP (National Emission Standard For Hazardous Air Pollutants), 40 C.F.R. Part 61, Subpart H. Completion of these modifications is included as an action item in the draft Federal Facility Compliance Agreement (FFCA) for radionuclide NESHAP compliance at the Hanford Site. Based on the information provided, I have determined that the monitoring system for the 296-A-22, as modified, meets the requirements of 40 C.F.R. 61.93. Actions required for this stack under the April 30, 1993 radionuclide NESHAP Compliance Plan, and under the draft FFCA are therefore complete.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (206) 553-8633.

Sincerely,
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