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Subject: EPA Approval of "Remedial Design Report/Remedial Action Work Plan for the 100 Area", DOE/RL-96-17, Revision 5; and "100 Area Remedial Action Sampling and Analysis Plan", DOE/RL-96-22, Revision 4

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Dear Mr. Smith:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has reviewed and approves the two subject documents. Thank you for your and your contractors' extended efforts to revise these documents. We understand that the state Department of Ecology has additional comments to resolve with you. Please share any potential changes with these documents with EPA to gain our approval. If you have any questions, feel free to give me a call at 509-376-9884.

Sincerely,

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