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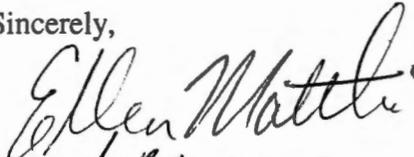
Dear Mr. Wilson:

HANFORD FEDERAL FACILITY AGREEMENT AND CONSENT ORDER (TRI-PARTY AGREEMENT) INTERIM MILESTONE M-89-02, COMPLETE REMOVAL OF 324 BUILDING RADIOCHEMICAL ENGINEERING CELLS (REC) B-CELL MIXED WASTE (MW) AND EQUIPMENT, NOVEMBER 30, 2000

The U. S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office (RL) and RL contractor, Fluor Hanford, Inc. (FHI) are notifying the State of Washington Department of Ecology that Tri-Party Agreement Interim Milestone M-89-02 will not be met by November 30, 2000. FHI is currently developing a Milestone Recovery Plan. RL and FHI will include your staff in the development of the recovery plan before providing a revised schedule for meeting the Tri-Party Agreement Interim Milestone M-89-02.

If you have any questions, please contact me on (509) 376-9333, or your staff may contact David C. Langstaff, Facility Transition Division, on (509) 376-5580.

Sincerely,


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