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September 22, 1993

Mr. Robert G. Holt
Office of Environmental Assurance, Permits, and Policy
Department of Energy, Richland Field Office
P.O. Box 550
Richland, WA 99352

Dear Mr. Holt:

Re: Fourth Modification to Consent Order Number DE-91NM-177

In accordance with the agreement reached by our respective staffs, enclosed is a signed copy of the fourth modification to consent order number DE-91NM-177. We have retained the original.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at (509) 736-3000, or Melodie Selby at (509) 736-3021.

Sincerely,

Dave Nylander
Nuclear and Mixed Waste Management Program

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Enclosure

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DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLIANCE BY)
 United States Department of Energy)
 with Section 90.48 RCW and the)
 Department of Ecology)

MODIFICATION OF
 CONSENT ORDER
 No. DE 91NM-177

To: United States Department of Energy
 Richland Operations Office
 P.O. Box 550
 Richland, WA 99352

I. MODIFICATION

In accordance with Section 1.V, Page 3, of the above referenced Consent Order, the parties agree to a modification which will revise a portion of the following section:

1. Revise Section 8: Interim Operating Restrictions and Impact Assessments, Table 6, New Decontamination Laundry Facility/B Pond System as follows:

Delete the "New Decontamination Laundry Facility/B Pond System" in the "EFFLUENT STREAM and/or DISPOSAL SITE" column. Also, delete associated milestones and other entries in the remaining Table 6 columns for the "New Decontamination Laundry Facility" including:

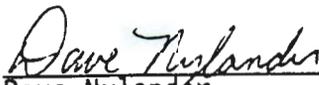
- "Discharge to the 216-B-3 Pond System in support of construction test procedures may be initiated with Ecology approval by 4/93" in the "Interim Operating Restriction" column
- "Complete construction of Decontamination Laundry Facility by 10/94" in the "Interim Operation Restriction" column
- "Initiate full scale hot operations at the Decontamination Laundry Facility with discharge of BAT/AKART implemented effluent to 216-B-3 Pond System by 1/95 provided discharge is consistent with the closure schedule and strategy within any Ecology approved 216-B-3 Pond System Closure Plan" in the "Interim Operation Restriction" column
- "Cease all decontamination laundry facility discharges to B Pond by 6/95" in the "Interim Operation Restriction" column
- "W-049H" in the "PROJECT or STREAM TYPE" column
- "No" in the "IMPACT ASSESS (Y/N)" column.

2. Revise Section 8: Interim Operating Restrictions and Impact Assessments, Table 6, 2724-W Laundry Waste Water/216-W-LWC Crib as follows:

Add to the "INTERIM OPERATING RESTRICTIONS" column: "Initiate sending laundry to an off-site contracted laundry facility by 1/94."

All other terms and conditions contained in the Consent Order remain in full force and effect.

Dated this 23 day of September, 1993, at Kennewick, Washington.



Dave Nylander
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Department of Ecology



for John D. Wagener
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