

Waste Site Reclassification Form

Date Submitted: 4/7/2004 Originator: C. R. Webb Phone: 373-5573	Operable Unit(s): 200-UR-1 Waste Site ID: UPR-200-W-42 Type of Reclassification Action: Rejected: <input checked="" type="radio"/> No Action: <input type="radio"/> Interim Closed Out: <input type="radio"/> Closed Out: <input type="radio"/>	Control Number: 2004-035
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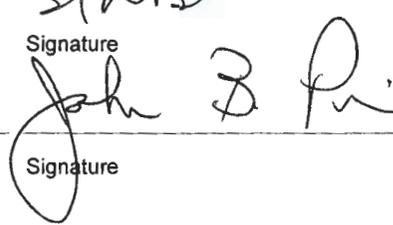
This form documents agreement among the parties listed below authorizing classification of the subject unit as rejected, closed-out, or no action and authorizing backfill of the site, if appropriate. Final removal from the NPL of no action or closed-out sites will occur at a future date.

Description of current waste site condition:

On February 3, 1957, an unusually high radiation background was noticed by two operators on a routine supply check in the railroad shack (2706-S) north of REDOX. A follow up survey revealed contamination on the papered floor reading a maximum of to 3,200 millirad/hour. Spotty contamination to 500 millirad/hour was found on the snow outside of the shack near the 202-S Canyon Building and toward the railroad tracks. The paper on the floor of the railroad shack was changed and the floor mopped. The ground between the shack and tracks was cleaned to 2,000 to 5,000 counts per minute background.

Basis for reclassification:

In 1957, the paper on the floor of the railroad shack was changed and the floor mopped. The ground between the shack and tracks was cleaned to 2,000 to 5,000 counts per minute background. In the mid-1980's, the section of railroad track from the 202-S Tunnel to the REDOX facility fence was backfilled and stabilized to contain the contamination and prevent parking of railroad cars. In 1997, the section of railroad track extending northwest from the facility boundary fence to the intersection of the track with the first gravel road was backfilled with 0.6 meters (2 feet) of clean soil. In 2000, the 2706-S shack was removed. The soil berms on the sides of the railroad cut were pushed in and the railroad cut was surface stabilized. The area (known as UPR-200-W-41) is now posted as an Underground Radioactive Material area. UPR-200-W-42 is inside the surface stabilized area. It is recommended UPR-200-W-42 be reclassified to Reject (Consolidated) into the larger site UPR-200-W-41.

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