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Mr. Steve Wisness
Hanford Project Manager
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Re: Approval to Proceed on Expedited Response Action at the
River Rail Wash Pit.

Dear Mr. Wisness:

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) and the
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) have completed their
review of the Expedited Response Action (ERA) candidate sites.

During the meeting held on June 15th, 1992, Ecology and EPA
verbally approved beginning the Engineering Evaluation and Cost
Analysis (EE/CA) for the River Rail Wash Pit. This letter
transmits our formal approval to proceed.

EPA has lead regulatory oversight on this ERA. Mr. Dennis
Faulk will be the EPA Unit Manager on this site. Mr. Jack
Donnelly will be the Unit Manager from Ecology. In addition,
Ecology and EPA recommend establishing an administrative record
for this ERA at this time.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter
please feel free to contact Mr. Jack Donnelly of Ecology at (509)
546-2990 or Mr. Dennis Faulk of EPA at (509) 376-8631..

Sincerely,

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Administrative Record (ERA River Rail Wash Pit)

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