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Dear Mr. Hennessey:

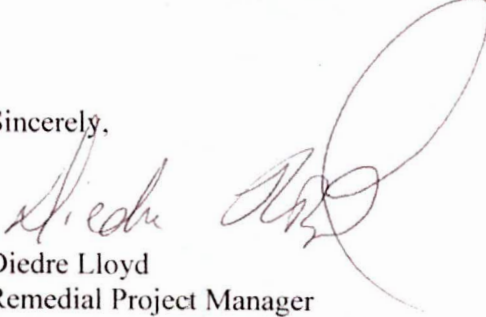
The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed the Department of Energy, Savannah River Site's Final Draft Responses to EPA Comments on the Performance Evaluation Report (PER) of 2018 for the M-Area Inactive Process Sewer Lines (MIPSL) Operable Unit (OU), January through December 2018, submitted on October 7, 2019.

EPA appreciates DOE-SRS's efforts to address EPA concerns at the MIPSL OU and looks forward to the results from future sampling event that will hopefully address uncertainties that have persisted at the MIPSL OU during the remedial action.

It is EPA's expectation that the 2019 PER and future PERs will address lingering comments and issues raised on preceding year's PERs as outlined in EPA's comment responses to the 2018 MIPSL PER.

EPA provides approval for the above mentioned report and comment responses. As always, please feel free to call with any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

  
Diedre Lloyd  
Remedial Project Manager  
Restoration and Sustainability Branch  
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cc: Angelia Adams, DOE-SRS, Phil Prater, DOE-SRS, Karen Adams, DOE-SRS, C.L. Bergren, SRNS-ACP (Signed Original), Susan Fulmer, SCDHEC