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Dear Ms. Fulmer and Mr. Richards:

SUBJECT: Scoping Summary for the General Separations Area Western Groundwater Operable Unit (U) (ERD-EN-2005-0127, Final, June 2024) SEMS Number: 85, Scoping Summary for the General Separations Area Eastern Groundwater Operable Unit (U) (WSRC-RP-2000-4134, Final, June 2024) SEMS Number: 46 and Supporting Presentations

The U. S. Department of Energy (DOE) is submitting the subject scoping summaries for your files. The final scoping summaries reflect the agreements reached at the June 10, 2024, Core Team Scoping Meeting and the June 21, 2024, follow-up agreement of the proposal to abandon the 16 legacy wells near F-Canyon. The *Annual Monitoring Review for the GSA Eastern and Western Groundwater Operable Units (U)* (SRNS-MS-2024-00291, June 2024) and *Nonvolatile Beta and Strontium-90 in the GSA Western Groundwater OU West Plume* (SRNS-MS-2024-00286, June 2024) presentations are also attached for your files. The effort and time that the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency and the South Carolina Department of Environmental Services have provided on these operable units are greatly appreciated.

Questions from you or your staff may be directed to me at (803) 952-7805, or DOE Operable Unit Project Manager, Mr. Philip Prater, at (803) 952-9333.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

1. Scoping Summary for the General Separations Area Western Groundwater Operable Unit (U) (ERD-EN-2005-0127, Final, June 2024) SEMS Number: 85
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3. Annual Monitoring Review for the GSA Eastern and Western Groundwater Operable Units (U) (SRNS-MS-2024-00291, June 2024)
4. Nonvolatile Beta and Strontium-90 in the GSA Western Groundwater OU West Plume (SRNS-MS-2024-00286, June 2024)

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