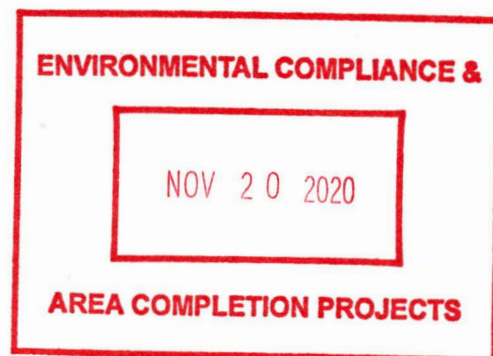




November 20, 2020

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Re: Performance Evaluation Report for the A-Area Miscellaneous Rubble Pile (731-6A) Operable Unit - April 2019 through April 2020 (U), SEMS Number: 30 (SRNS-RP-2020-00279, Revision 0, July 2020) received July 29, 2020.

Dear Mr. Hennessey:

The Department has completed its review of the above reference document pursuant to the Savannah River Federal Facility Agreement. Based on this review, the following comment was generated. Due to the nature of this comment, the Department is confident that the necessary changes can be made to the final clean copy version with resolution. Therefore, the above referenced Revision 0 is conditionally approved providing the following comment is addressed and incorporated:

1. Section 3.0, Conclusions/Recommendations, page 8. The last paragraph of this section states that a Core Team meeting is recommended for the Fall 2020 to discuss the information in the Performance Evaluation Report and the updated remedial goals. SCDHEC requests that this meeting be scheduled prior to the end of CY2020.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (803) 898-4331.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Susan B. Fulmer".

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