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September 10, 2019

Mr. Brian Hennessey, 730-B
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Dear Mr. Hennessey:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has received the DOE-SRS 2nd extension request for the submittal of the Remedial Investigation (RI) and the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Facility Investigation (RFI) Work Plan for the D Area Groundwater Operable Unit (D-Area Upgradient Sources) dated September 5, 2019.

DOE-SRS requested to change the original submission date of July 25, 2019 to the newly proposed submission date of September 11, 2019 to include/address additional work that has been agreed to by all FFA parties. DOE-SRS 2nd extension request and temporary suspension of a date for submission of the above mentioned work plan was requested on September 5, 2019 following the Work Plan scoping meeting in Aiken, SC on August 29, 2019. EPA grants and agrees to this extension request and temporary suspension of submittal date until a revised implementation scheduled is developed and agreed to by the DAOU GW core team (EPA, SCDHEC and DOE-SRS). EPA understands that additional work is necessary due to the size and complexity of the DAOU and the large of amount of data being reviewed along with the associated uncertainties discussed in the DAOU GW scoping meeting mentioned above. EPA agrees with DOE's proposal to submit a letter workplan prior to installation of DAOU monitor wells and will document the RI Field Start.

EPA approves the above outlined extension request. Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call me at on my cell number 404-229-9500.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Diedre Lloyd".

Diedre Lloyd
Remedial Project Manager
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cc: Angelia Holmes, DOE-SRS, Brian Hennessey, DOE-SRS, Phil Prater, DOE-SRS, Karen Adams, DOE-SRS, Chris Bergren, SRNS-ACP (Signed Original), Susan Fulmer, SCDHEC;