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EPA Approval: Post-Construction Report/Corrective Measures Implementation Report/Remedial Action Completion Report for the Early Construction and Operational Disposal Site N-1 (NBN), Central Shops Scrap Lumber Pile (631-2G) and Building 690-N, Process Heat Exchanger Repair Facility (aka Ford Building) Operable Unit (SRNS-RP-2025-00808, Revision 1 [Redline Pages], July 2026) SEMS Number: 93

Dear Mr. Baker,

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has reviewed the July 29, 2026, Revision 1 redline version of the Post-Construction Report (PCR) for Operable Unit (OU) 93, which includes the Early Construction and Operational Disposal Site N-1 (ECODS N-1), Central Shops Scrap Lumber Pile (CSSLP), and Building 690-N, Process Heat Exchanger Repair Facility (Ford Building) subunits. The PCR is equivalent to a Remedial Action Completion Report (RACR) and incorporates responses to EPA's comments.

The PCR documents completion of the remedial actions specified in the OU 93 Record of Decision (ROD) and implemented in accordance with the approved Corrective Measures Implementation Plan/Remedial Action Implementation Plan (CMIP/RAIP). The completed remedial actions included Land Use Controls (LUCs) at ECODS N-1 and the Ford Building and excavation and off-site disposal of contaminated soil at CSSLP.

At ECODS N-1, LUCs were implemented to prevent human exposure to asbestos in subsurface soil. Warning signs were installed to identify the area and restrict activities that could result in exposure. The LUCs will remain in place until hazardous substance concentrations allow for unrestricted use.

At CSSLP, contaminated soil exceeding the arsenic cleanup level of 8.2 milligrams per kilogram (mg/kg) was excavated to a depth of approximately 0.3 meters (1 foot) below ground surface.

The contaminated soil was transported off-site for disposal, and the area was backfilled with clean soil and restored to grade. Approximately 1,860 cubic yards (yd^3), or 4,017 tons, of contaminated soil were excavated; the area was backfilled

At the Ford Building, LUCs were implemented to prevent human exposure to cesium-137 and polychlorinated biphenyls associated with the remaining concrete slab and cobalt-60 in surface soil beneath a portion of the surrounding gravel apron. Warning signs were installed to identify the area and prevent activities that could result in exposure. The LUCs will remain in place until hazardous substance concentrations allow for unrestricted use.

The remedial actions were completed at a total project cost of approximately $1.85 million, including $271,000 for ECODS N-1, $900,000 for CSSLP, and $677,000 for the Ford Building.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Jon Richards of my staff at (404) 431-1340.

Sincerely,

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