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AREA COMPLETION PROJECTS

Dear Mr. Hennessey:

This letter documents "Remedial Action Complete" at Operable Unit (OU) 92 at the Savannah River Site. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has reviewed the M-Area Operable Unit (MAOU) Post-Construction Report and Corrective Measures Implementation/Remedial Action Implementation Plan (PCR/CMI/RAIP) (SRNS-RP-2010-00991, Revision 1, February 2011), and the passive Soil Vapor Extraction (PSVE) sampling data at OU-92 (located in MAOU). The PCR/CMI/RAIP documents progress of the remedy in reaching the remedial goals at OU-92. The post-construction activities include:

- Inspection and maintenance of the soil cover and access control warning signs;
- Continued soil-gas monitoring of the PSVE wells; and
- Five-year remedy reviews (FYR).

Based on the latest Five-Year Review (2018) the PSVE treatment system is effective in preventing the migration of VOCs to the groundwater above established cleanup levels. All threats to contaminated media at OU-92 are being addressed through physical access controls to prevent unauthorized entry (fences, guards, security patrols, etc.), administrative controls restrict the MAOU to industrial use, and warning signs and use restrictions via the SRS Site Use/Site Clearance Program.

Based on the review of the reports for the passive SVE system at OU-92, the system *is installed and effective*, and the Remedial Action is considered complete for the remedies at OU-92 (denoted as RA Complete). The remedy and Land Use Controls must continue to be monitored until remedial goals in the Record of Decision are achieved. If it is determined in the future that SVE is no longer effective, the remedy will be re-evaluated.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Jon Richards, Remedial Project Manager, of my staff, at (404) 562-8648 or by email at Richards.Jon@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

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