



March 28, 2019

Mr. Brian T. Hennessey, SRS Remedial Project Manager
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Re: Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 Budget Advice of Allotment for Environmental Compliance & Area Completion Projects and Federal Facility Agreement Revision 0 Appendix D for FY2019 (Print Date: 02/20/2019) dated March 13, 2019 and received March 15, 2019.

Dear Mr. Hennessey:

The Department has completed its review of the above reference document pursuant to the Savannah River Federal Facility Agreement (FFA). 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. As per the decisions made during the March 21, 2019 scoping meeting on the Optimization of the Savannah River Site Integrator Operable Units Program (Phase II), please delete the 9/30/2019 Pen Branch Integrator Operable Unit (Including Indian Grave Branch [NBN]) Revision 0 Periodic Report 5 submittal from Appendix D. All periodic reports will be replaced with a comprehensive Bioassessment Report to be submitted every seven years.

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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