



August 31, 2020

Mr. Brian T. Hennessey, SRS Remedial Project Manager
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Re: Extension Request for the Submittal of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Facility Investigation / Remedial Investigation (RFI/RI) Work Plan for the D-Area Groundwater Operable Unit (D-Area Upgradient Sources) and Subsequent Milestones, SEMS Number: 63

Dear Mr. Hennessey:

Pursuant to Section XXXI of the Savannah River Site Federal Facility Agreement (FFA), the Department approves the above referenced extension request that was submitted in a Department of Energy (DOE) letter dated August 27, 2020 and received electronically August 27, 2020. Per the extension request, the new submittal date for the RFI/RI Work Plan will be June 14, 2021.

As a result of COVID-19 disrupting the scheduling of needed Core Team meetings and the complexity of the three discrete groundwater plumes within the D-Area Groundwater Operable Unit, the Core Team agreed during an August 12, 2020 conference call that extending the RFI/RI Work Plan and associated milestones was necessary. The Department acknowledges that granting this extension request will impact subsequent milestones.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Susan B. Fulmer".

Susan B. Fulmer, P.G., Manager
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cc: C. L. Bergren, SRNS-ACP (Signed Original)
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