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Subject: RE: Lower Three Runs IOU Feasibility Study

Brian and Jon,

Thanks for the call this afternoon to discuss the LTR IOU FS. SCDHEC understands the potential impact of the Oak Ridge dispute; therefore, we agree to an extension of the June 7th FS submittal date and understand that DOE will get back to us next week with a new timeframe for submittal.

Thanks,
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Jon and Susan,

SRS recently notified you by the attached letter of a 30-day extension to our revision of the Rev.1 FS for the Lower Three Runs IOU (originally due on May 8), resulting in a June 7, 2019 due date for the Rev.1.1 FS. The notification also requested extension of the Proposed Plan submittal to July 27, which you approved.

After discussion with EPA last week of a formal dispute between DOE-EM-Oak Ridge and EPA over an ARAR for aqueous discharges from a CERCLA landfill, and the potential impact of that dispute on ARARs for the excavation alternative in the LTR IOU FS, **we would like to suspend the June 7 submittal date for the Rev.1.1 FS.** (Please note that the original May 8 date was based on our expectation of a 30-day revision period after receiving EPA's comments on the Rev.1 FS, as there is not an FFA-required timeframe for the revision of Rev.1 documents.) Until the outcome of the dispute is known, the ARAR remains indeterminate for the excavation alternative and the FS cannot be finalized. A date for submittal of the Rev.1.1 FS will be determined by the Core Team.

Depending on when the dispute is resolved and the FS can be revised, it is also likely that SRS will request another extension of the Proposed Plan due date (currently July 27).

Please let us know if you have any concerns or if you'd like to discuss the rationale for this notification. Thank you.

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