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RE: Final Characterization Notification for Solid Waste Management Unit 211A and Solid Waste Management Unit 211B (PPPO-02-3287657-16)
Paducah Site
Paducah, McCracken County, Kentucky
KY8-890-008-982

Ms. Duncan:

The Kentucky Division of Waste Management (Division) received the *Final Characterization Notification for Solid Waste Management Unit 211-A and Solid Waste Management Unit 211-B*, dated December 17, 2015. The Notification contains DOE's official recommendations for SWMUs 211-A&B. For the west side of SWMU 211-A, DOE has recommended implementation of Alternative 8 [Enhanced In-Situ Bioremediation with Interim Land Use Controls and Long-Term Monitoring]. For the east side of SWMU 211-A, DOE has recommended Alternative 2 [Long-Term Monitoring with Interim Land Use Controls]. For SWMU 211-B, DOE recommends that further discussion occur amongst the "FFA parties to evaluate impacts of the likely discovered DNAPL [in the upper RGA] at SWMU 211-B."

The Division does not wish to endorse DOE's specific recommendations at this time. Instead, the Division stands ready to participate in three-party discussions on the appropriate response actions for SWMUs 211-A&B. The Division favors scheduling these discussions at the earliest convenience. The Division also looks forward to reaching three party consensus on the details of this upcoming response action and subsequent implementation of the remedy.

If you have any questions or wish to schedule discussions, please contact Brian Begley (502) 564-6716, ext. 4641 or e-mail at Brian.Begley@ky.gov.

Sincerely,



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