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Ms. Judy Clayton, Chair
Paducah Citizens Advisory Board
111 Memorial Drive
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Dear Ms. Clayton:

**RESPONSE TO CITIZENS ADVISORY BOARD RECOMMENDATION 10-09:
DOCUMENT OUTLINING THE HISTORY OF THE PADUCAH GASEOUS
DIFFUSION PLANT BY FALL 2011**

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) is in receipt of Citizens Advisory Board (CAB) Recommendation 10-09 which states: **In order that both historic information and artifacts at the Paducah Gaseous Diffusion Plant (PGDP) site be preserved for future generations, the Citizens Advisory Board recommends:**

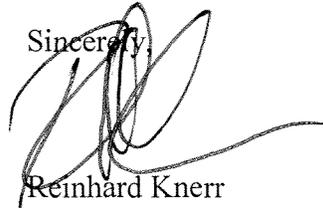
That DOE assist the CAB in producing and publishing a document which adequately depicts the history of the PGDP from incipient plans to today. Information and pictures which would be needed to develop and publish such a document reside with the Department of Energy. We understand that some of the material which the DOE possesses is classified in nature; the CAB would only ask for items which can be free-released. It is the CAB's desire to have this document ready for distribution to the public and available for the information packets at the Fall Chairs Meeting held in Paducah in 2011.

DOE agrees with the CAB that a document describing the history of the PGDP would be valuable to the community. DOE will support this CAB project by providing, as requested, non-official use only, unclassified information and photos to the CAB for use in to compiling and creating such a document.

DOE appreciates the CAB's work on behalf of the community, its interest in expediting work effectively, and its support for continued enhancement of interaction among DOE, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, and the Kentucky Division of Waste Management on behalf of the environmental management mission in Paducah.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Buz Smith at (270) 441-6821.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Reinhard Knerr', written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

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