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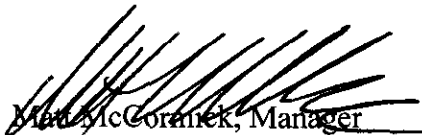
Dear Ms. Leckband:


HANFORD ADVISORY BOARD (HAB) JUNE 4, 2010, ADVICE #231, "PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE TRI-PARTY AGREEMENT FOR CENTRAL PLATEAU CLEANUP WORK, AND FOR MIXED LOW-LEVEL WASTE AND TRANSURANIC MIXED WASTE"


The Tri-Party Agreement (TPA) agencies--the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology), and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)--want to thank the Hanford Advisory Board (HAB) for providing advice on the proposed changes to the TPA for Central Plateau cleanup work and mixed low-level and transuranic mixed waste management. The agencies appreciate the HAB's involvement on these issues over the past months that helped to shape the proposed changes and resulted in this advice.

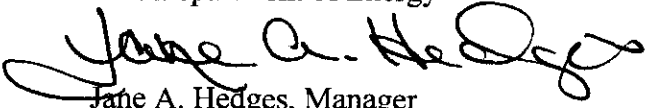
All comments received are being considered and will be addressed in a response to comment document before the change packages are finalized. The agencies will issue a joint response to your advice following finalization of the comment response document.

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Response to HAB advice #231

HAB Consensus Advice: Proposed Changes to TPA for Central Plateau Cleanup Work & Mixed Low-Level Waste & Transuranic Mixed Waste

Letter from Matthew McCormick, David Brockman, Dennis Faulk & Jane Hedges dated 8/10/10