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Steve and John:

Please consider this formal notification that PRI had a release of injection fluid at the D-8 area of the D-Wellfield. The release was detected on Sunday 2/8/04 at about 9:30 pm. It was difficult to determine how much fluid was released, as it appears that it results from a leak in the casing, just below the surface. It is estimated that 500-1000 gallons of injection fluid (1.1 mg/L U3O8) entered an adjacent ephemeral drainage channel where it pooled. PRI recovered the fluid today with a Vac Truck. The investigation of the conditions that led to the release are continuing and a written report will be forthcoming.

If you have any questions, please call me.

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