

## **Department of Energy**

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Mr. Terry Husseman, Program Director High-Level Nuclear Waste Management Office Washington State Department of Ecology MS PV-11 Olympia, WA 98504

Dear Mr. Husseman:

NOTIFICATION OF AFFECTED PARTIES PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF DRILLING FOR DC-24 AND DC-25, et al.

In response to the State of Washington question (Item) 4, made during the DC-24 and DC-25 consultation meeting, held in Richland on August 18, the U. S. DOE-RL shall notify all Affected Parties by telephone, and with a concurrent transmittal, 48 hours prior to the commencement of drilling activities for DC-24 and DC-25.

This courtesy is being extended in light of the fact that a start date for this activity is not yet listed on the Activities Listing currently in your possession. We are also extending this notification to you so that if you choose to witness all or portions of this activity, the advance notice will provide you the time to make appropriate arrangements.

I am confident that the DOE, NRC, and Affected States and Tribes can continue to work together to assure DC-24 and DC-25 activities are safe and technically acceptable and within current projected costs and schedules. If you have any questions, please contact me or Dr. D. H. Dahlem on (509) 376-6406.

Sincerely

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