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Dear Mr. Skeen:

SUBJECT: Request for Additional Information (RAI) on the 2009 Performance Assessment for the Saltstone Disposal Facility at the Savannah River Site (ltr Bubar to Gutmann, dtd 3/31/10) and (ltr Spears to Camper, dtd 06/1/10)

In followup to the previous correspondence, enclosed for your review are responses to your RAI on the 2009 Saltstone Performance Assessment.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please call me at (803) 208-7408 or Ms. Patricia Suggs at (803) 208-6804.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas S. Gutmann", is written over a horizontal line.

Thomas S. Gutmann, Director  
Waste Disposition Programs Division

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Enclosure:  
2009 Saltstone Performance Assessment  
RAI Responses (3-CD, 1-hardcopy)