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ATTENTION OF

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U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
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Mr. Keith McConnell  
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Office of Federal and State Materials and Environmental Management Programs  
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
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Dear Mr. McConnell:

The US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) is in receipt of your letter dated July 8, 2011, regarding the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) review of USACE's Criticality Analysis documents, prepared for USACE's upcoming remediation efforts at the Shallow Land Disposal Area (SLDA) site. Your letter stated that the NRC has determined that the Criticality Analysis documents are acceptable, contingent upon USACE implementation of three commitments. USACE agrees to implement the actions described more particularly in your July 8, 2011 letter.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Kip Huston at 202-761-4574, or by e-mail: [kip.r.huston@usace.army.mil](mailto:kip.r.huston@usace.army.mil).

Sincerely,

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