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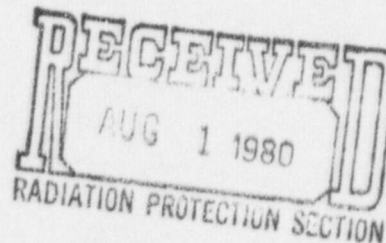
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Re: Old Phillips Mill - Heap Leach

Dear Gerry:

The heap leach pad was operated from July 17, 1980, through July 25, and then was shutdown as the result of concern for surface seepage on the walls of the embankment. Water was drawn off both ponds and heavy equipment brought in to modify the perimeter and central dikes. This was accomplished in two days and the pile is back in operation.

I will be forwarding the promised as-built dimensions and operating procedures upon completion of these modifications to the plans.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Todd Miller".

Todd Miller,  
Manager of Environmental Operations

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cc: T. Brough, NMEID - Milan  
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