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John Young,

In response to your two concerns/questions about the IA Plan for TA-15, PRS 15-004(f), I offer the following as clarification per our telephone conversation:

- We did **not** dig up and drum 30,000 ft<sup>2</sup> of soil. We have covered this amount of area at the time the IA Plan was written. The metal is currently stored on site in less than 15 55-gallon drums and appropriately marked and controlled. Also DU and some small amount of soil have been picked up and placed in 30-gallon steel drums. All drums are lined with plastic drum liners. Total amount of DU and soil picked up is less than 6 30-gallon drums. They are stored separate from the drums containing the scrap metal. Total area picked up to date is 136,050 ft<sup>2</sup>.
- To clarify what we meant by our comment - "It is planned to return to this IA after the 1997 summer VCA work is complete" is, we had other VCA work at different locations within TA-15 of which the same crew doing the IA work were working on, and our plan was to complete these VCAs, then return to PRS 15-004(f), and continue with the IA activities. We are **not** engaged with VCA activities at E-F Site at this time.

I hope this clarifies our response and answers your two questions. A memo from me through Dave McInroy of the program office to Stu Dinwiddie is forth coming.

Thank you,

*Doug Pippin*

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