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**SUBJECT: SUBMISSION OF PRSs 49-007(a,b) and 49-009
AS NFA PROPOSALS FOR FY97**

Dear Ted:

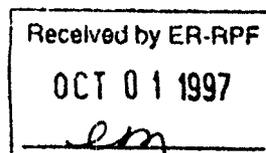
We have determined that three sites in Technical Area (TA) 49 were proposed for no further action (NFA) in a Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Facility Investigation (RFI) Work Plan but were not recorded as proposed for NFA in the Potential Release Site (PRS) or the EM-40 Core databases. We would like Sites 49-007(a,b) and 49-009 to apply as NFA proposals under Fiscal Year 1997 (FY97) Performance Measures Functional Area 1 (No Further Actions for FY97 Work). The RFI Work Plan for Operable Unit 1144 was submitted May 20, 1992, and a letter was received January 29, 1993, from William K. Honker, RCRA Permits Branch, which stated that the units did not need to be added to the permit. Confirmation with Field Unit 5 personnel has verified that these sites should have been entered into the PRS database as work plan NFA proposals. A brief summary of the sites is provided below.

49-007(a) - Septic system installed in 1985, used for sanitary waste only. The site has never been used for the management of RCRA solid or hazardous wastes and/or constituents, nor other Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) hazardous substances, NFA Criterion 2.

49-007(b) - Septic system installed in 1985, used for sanitary waste only. The site has never been used for the management of RCRA solid or hazardous wastes and/or constituents, nor other CERCLA hazardous substances, NFA Criterion 2.

49-009 - Aboveground butane tank. The tank has been removed and staining is not evident; no release to the environment has occurred, nor is one likely to occur in the future, NFA Criterion 3.

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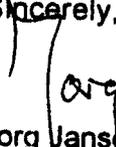
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Thank you for your consideration in this matter. If you have questions or comments, please contact Tracy Glatzmaier at 665-2613 or Don Krier at 665-7834.

Sincerely,


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