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MEDIA ADVISORY

Briefing on Monday: Explosive demolition at Hanford's 100-N Area

(Note: The Department of Energy is providing advance notice of Monday's briefing as a professional courtesy for the purpose of scheduling. However, in order to reduce the possibility of "spectators" in the area (on the river), the Department of Energy is requesting you embargo this information until Monday.)

What: Two large stacks and portions of the inside of a powerhouse that served Hanford's N Reactor will be demolished explosively over the weekend. As a safety precaution, only project personnel will be allowed on the site. However, photos and video footage, as well as spokespeople, will be made available for interviews on Monday, June 23.

Who: Joe Franco, Assistant Manager for the River Corridor, U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office
Kurt Kehler, D4 Project Manager, Washington Closure Hanford
John Price, Environmental Restoration Project Manager, Washington State Department of Ecology, Nuclear Waste Program

When: **Monday, June 23, 2008, 10 a.m.**

Where: Meet at the Richland Federal Building lobby at 9:45 a.m. This event will NOT involve a trip to N Area.

RSVP: Please advise if you will be attending by calling or e-mailing the contacts above by close of business today.

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