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April 1, 2015

CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. David Bethune
(personal address has been deleted)

Dear Mr. Bethune:

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST (FOI 2015-00865)

In reference to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request submitted electronically to this office, you requested Appendix A and Appendix B referenced in the document entitled "History of the Plutonium Production Facilities at the Hanford Site Historic District - 1943 - 1990 - June 2002" located on the Internet at: <http://www.osti.gov/scitech/biblio/807939>

We have conducted a thorough search and have been unable to locate either Appendix A or B. I did find on page 6 of the referenced document that the appendices would only be published on the Internet. However, we conducted a thorough search for the requested documents. This search was conducted by those within the agency who are most familiar with the subject matter of the request, in locations where documents would most likely be found. Specifically, I contacted the following offices and requested a search be conducted: Mission Support Alliance, L.L.C (specifically the Public Safety & Resource Protection office and the Cultural/Historical Resources and Curation office), the DOE Public Reading Room, the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, the DOE Oak Ridge Operations Office, the DOE Office of Scientific and Technical Information, the RL Office of Communications and External Affairs, the RL Site Stewardship Division, the Records Holding Area (the facility that stores long-term archived documents) and electronic records stored in the Integrated Database Management System and were we unable to locate the requested documents.

This letter completes our response to your request. The undersigned individual is responsible for this determination. You have the right to appeal to the Office of Hearings and Appeals, as provided in 10 CFR 1004.8, for the adequacy of our search. Any such appeal shall be made in writing to the following address: Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals (HG-1), U.S. Department of Energy, L'Enfant Plaza Building, 1000 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, D.C. 20585-1615, and shall be filed within 30 days after receipt of this letter. Should you choose to appeal, please provide this office with a copy of your letter.

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If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact me at our address above or on (509) 376-6288.

Sincerely,

-Original Signed By-

Dorothy Riehle
Freedom of Information Act Officer
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