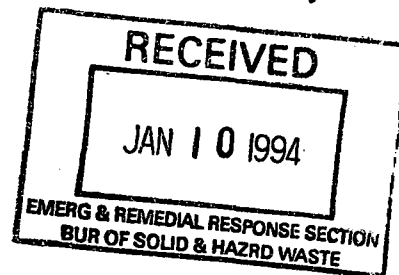


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Re: Monthly Progress Report for December 1993
Moss-American Site, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Dear Ms. Lavis:

Roy F. Weston, Inc. (WESTON®) has prepared this monthly progress report on behalf of the Settling Defendant for the Moss-American Superfund site, Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation (KMCC). This monthly progress report has been prepared to document progress during December.

Progress During December 1993

The following summary of predesign task progress is presented for this reporting period:

- *Predesign Task 9* - WESTON continued progress on preparing the Draft Technical Memorandum to present the findings of this task.
- *Predesign Task 16* - In a letter dated 9 November 1993 (received 22 November 1993), U.S. EPA transmitted review comments on the Bioslurry and Soil Washing Treatability Study Technical Memoranda. WESTON has proceeded in preparing responses to these review comments.
- *Predesign Phase Quality Assurance Project Plan* - In a letter dated 18 November 1993 (received 22 November 1993), U.S. EPA transmitted the second round of review comments on the Predesign Phase QAPP (dated 28 May 1992, revised 1 February 1993). WESTON has proceeded in preparing responses to these review comments.

Problems Encountered/Issues To Be Resolved

As previously reported by KMCC and WESTON, denial of access to County of Milwaukee properties of the Moss-American site has resulted in cessation of Predesign Work (with the exception of limited task work reported herein). KMCC and the County of Milwaukee are actively negotiating an agreement for access to the site. KMCC believes access will be obtained for Spring 1994 activities.





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Additional project task-related issues to be resolved, include:

- Predesign Task 2 - On 15 March 1993, WESTON and KMCC transmitted the Technical Memorandum to U.S. EPA. WESTON and KMCC received WDNR review comments on 16 May 1993, however, we are currently awaiting U.S. EPA review comments on the Technical Memorandum.

Activities Anticipated During January 1994

KMCC and WESTON anticipate conducting the following predesign phase activities during January 1994:

- WESTON will continue progress on completing the Predesign Task 9 Technical Memorandum.
- WESTON will prepare and transmit responses to U.S. EPA comments on the Predesign Task 16 Technical Memoranda and the Predesign Phase QAPP.
- KMCC's legal counsel will continue efforts toward resolving site access issues with the County of Milwaukee.

Should further clarification of this progress report be required, please contact the undersigned at (708) 918-4000.

Very truly yours,

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