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Mr. Russell D. Hart Remedial Project Manager (HSRW-6J) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 77 West Jackson Boulevard Chicago, Illinois 60604

Work Order No. 02687-007-002

Re: Monthly Progress Report for January 1995

Moss-American Site, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Hart:

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 January 1995.

Progress During January 1995

During this reporting period, KMCC and WESTON continued progress in preparing design and construction plans for a free-product recovery and removal system at the Moss-American site. WESTON collected additional free-product samples for physical/chemical characterization. Vendors were contacted and interviewed to evaluate various free-product pumping, piping, and storage systems. KMCC is working toward a schedule of installing the recovery system components and implementing free-product removal during the summer of 1995. Thus, we anticipate transmitting a draft free-product system design for U.S. EPA review in March 1995.

Several project correspondences were transmitted during this reporting period including:

- On 4 January 1995, WESTON transmitted an additional copy of the 1995 Predesign Technical Memorandum for U.S. EPA's placement in the site public information repository.
- On 17 January 1995, WESTON transmitted a letter to U.S. EPA further outlining our anticipated 1995 predesign work schedule.
- On 23 January 1995, U.S. EPA transmitted comments prepared by CH2M HILL on the November 1994 Predesign Technical Memorandum.



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- On 31 January 1995, KMCC issued a letter to U.S. EPA outlining a proposed plan for recycling recovered free product from the Moss-American site at other KMCC facilities.
- On 1 February 1995, Wisconsin DNR issued review comments to U.S. EPA on the November 1994 Predesign Technical Memorandum. WESTON and KMCC were copied on this correspondence to U.S. EPA.

Activities Anticipated During February 1995

During February, KMCC and WESTON will continue work on design of a free-product recovery and removal system as proposed in Section 9 of our 21 November 1994 Technical Memorandum. These efforts will continue during the next few months, as we work toward having a free-product removal system operational at the site during the summer of 1995. We also anticipate preparing responses to U.S. EPA, CH2M HILL, and WDNR comments on the findings and recommendations of our 21 November 1994 Technical Memoranda submittals.

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

Very truly yours,

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