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

Work Order No. 02687-007-002

Re:

Monthly Progress Report for February 1998 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 February 1998.

## Progress During February 1998

Progress during this reporting period includes:

- On 4 February 1998, KMCC/WESTON submitted the General Groundwater Monitoring Program to U.S. EPA/WDNR. KMCC/WESTON await comments from the Agencies on this plan.
- KMCC/WESTON have proceeded with revisions to the 95% groundwater design in response to U.S. EPA/WDNR comments.
- KMCC/WESTON addressed sediment CPAH issues raised during our 7 January 1998 meeting in a letter to U.S. EPA dated 4 February 1998.
- KMCC/WESTON addressed soil direct contact RCLs and migration-to-groundwater RCLs in a letter to U.S. EPA dated 4 February 1998.
- KMCC/WESTON have proceeded with preparation of bid documents and technical specifications related to procurement of a thermal desorption contractor and implementation of a revised soil remedy. There are still several technical issues, however, that require resolution with the Agencies.



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## Activities Anticipated During March 1998

During March, KMCC/WESTON anticipate the following activities:

- KMCC/WESTON will submit to U.S. EPA/WDNR the 100% groundwater design including the revised funnel and gate layout.
- KMCC/WESTON await further developments and details from the land trustees regarding a possible expansion of the river remediation/restoration scope.
- KMCC/WESTON will implement the groundwater monitoring plan after receiving concurrence from U.S. EPA/WDNR.
- KMCC/WESTON anticipate that additional site clearing may be accomplished in March 1998 in order to implement the revised funnel and gate layout.

Should further clarification of this progress report be required, please contact me at (847) 918-4142.

Very truly yours,

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