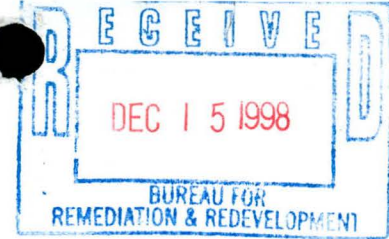




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Work Order No. 02687-007-003

Re: Monthly Progress Report for November 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 LLC (KMC). This monthly progress report has been prepared to document progress during November 1998.

Progress During November 1998

Progress during this reporting period includes:

- The free-product recovery system was shut down and winterized during the week of 9 November 1998. Approximately 1,500 gallons of creosote/water were collected and shipped to Rhodia Inc. (Hammond, Indiana) for disposal.
- On 19 November 1998, Richard A. Meserve, counsel for KMC, submitted a letter to U.S. EPA and WDNR requesting the agencies to defer any action to amend the Consent Decree until KMC has had an opportunity to review and discuss the implications of the ROD amendment with the agencies.
- Construction of the temporary storage pad began in mid-November and was completed on 2 December 1998.

Activities Anticipated During December 1998

During December, KMC/WESTON anticipate the following activities:

- KMC is preparing the groundwater monitoring report for 3rd quarter 1998. A delay was encountered in receiving data packages from the laboratory.
- KMC is preparing a submittal that will be delivered to the agencies regarding our concerns about the amended ROD.





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

Very truly yours,

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