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WESTON Work Order No. 02687.007.006
KMC Work Order No. 40-50-01-AKW-B

Re: Monthly Progress Report for August 2004
Moss-American Site, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Hart:

Weston Solutions, 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 August 2004.

Progress During August 2004

Progress during this reporting period includes:

- During the week of 16 August KMC performed the identification of visibly contaminated sediments in Reaches 2 and 3. Preliminary results were emailed to U.S. EPA and WDNR on 31 August.
- Herbicide applications were performed in Reaches 2 and 3 on 6 August and 25 August. Due to the late date of seeding and the dry weather conditions in July/August, no mowing was necessary in Reaches 2 and 3 prior to herbicide application.
- On 25 August KMC notified U.S. EPA and WDNR via email of our plans to address invasive species in Reach 1. A map was provided that indicated the areas which will be mowed and sprayed with herbicide.

Activities Anticipated During September 2004

During September KMC/Weston anticipate the following activities:

- On 2 September KMC participated in a conference call with U.S. EPA to discuss comments on the CPAH background study. KMC awaits comments from WDNR on the CPAH background study.





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- KMC will provide U.S. EPA and WDNR with a detailed map of the results of the recent investigation of visibly contaminated sediments in Reaches 2 and 3. This map will be provided by 10 September.
- Phase 2 construction in Reaches 2 and 3 will begin on 13 September. There will be some minor mobilization type activities performed by North Star Environmental during the week of 6 September. Phase 2 is expected to continue until early December 2004.
- Mowing and herbicide applications in portions of Reach 1 will begin in the first or second full week of September, weather permitting.
- The Q3 groundwater monitoring event will be performed during the week of 27 September.

Should further clarification of this progress report be required, please contact me at (847) 918-4142 or Keith Watson at (405) 270-3747.

Very truly yours,

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