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Dear Mr. Petrie

RE: Action Memorandum for the Ponds at the East Tennessee Technology Park, Oak Ridge, Tennessee: K-1007-P Holding Ponds, K-901-A Holding Pond, K-720 Slough, and K-770 Embayment (DOE/OR/01-2314&D4)

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) Division of Remediation, Oak Ridge Office (DoR-OR) is in receipt of the Department of Energy (DOE) letter dated March 3, 2023, transmitting the above referenced document. DoR-OR received the transmittal the same day. The purpose of this Action Memorandum (AM) is to document the change in the selected remedy for the K-1007-P1 Holding Pond at the East Tennessee Technology Park (ETTP). The previous AM described ecological enhancement as the selected non-time-critical removal action for the K-1007-P1 Pond. This revised AM changes the remedy to the pond fill-in alternative, as identified in the 2006 Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis for the pond. This change in remedy is needed to support construction of the Oak Ridge General Aviation Airport at ETTP.

TDEC concurs with the pond fill-in action as described in this revised AM. Planned activities include: draining the K-1007-P1 Pond, removing the fish, and filling the pond with clean backfill. This work is scheduled to begin after the removal action work plan is submitted by DOE and reviewed by TDEC and the Environmental Protection Agency. TDEC understands that after completion of the activities, DOE will submit a removal action report for review and approval. DOE will report the results and effectiveness of the planned activities in the annual Remediation Effectiveness Report and the next Five Year Review.

Questions or comments concerning the contents of this letter should be directed to Randy Hoffmeister at the above address or by phone at (865) 220-6583.

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