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Ms. Stephanie Simstad
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401 East Fifth Street
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Re: Southdown, Inc.
CKD Landfill No. 1
Fairborn, Ohio

Dear Ms. Simstad:

As promised at the April 12, 1995 meeting with representatives of Southdown, Inc. (Southdown), Panterra Corporation (Panterra) and Ernie Neal, we are providing this monthly update on activities conducted at the Landfill No. 1 site. The purpose of this update is to keep the Agency informed on the nature and extent of site developments in the event that inquiries arise.

On July 1, 1997 representatives of USX Corporation, the Greene Environmental Coalition, Panterra Corporation and Southdown, Inc. met in Columbus, Ohio to discuss the Phase II report and to explore possibilities for settlement of issues between all parties. It was agreed that USX and Southdown would discuss, with their respective Company management, the proposal for settlement offered by GEC. Results of those discussions are to be conveyed to GEC as soon as practical.

I trust that the above is sufficient to keep the Agency informed of the activities performed to date at the Landfill No. 1 site. Should you need additional information, please feel free to contact me at (713) 653-6956.

Sincerely,

Daniel W. Heintz
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