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Mr. Wayne Pierre, Team Leader  
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Mr. Dean Nygard, Site Remediation Manager  
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**SUBJECT:** Transmittal of the Draft Monitored Natural Attenuation Remedial Action Work Plan and Draft Monitored Natural Attenuation Operations, Monitoring, and Maintenance Plan for Test Area North, Operable Unit 1-07B (EM-ER-02-036)

Dear Mr. Pierre and Mr. Nygard:

The enclosed documents contain the approach and requirements for implementing Monitored Natural Attenuation as the distal zone remedy for Test Area North, Operable Unit 1-07B. The Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order enforceable milestone for submitting of these documents is March 31, 2003. If you have any questions regarding this transmittal please contact Mark Shaw at (208) 526-6442.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "K E Hain" followed by a small flourish.

Kathleen E. Hain, Manager  
Environmental Restoration Program

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cc: M. Jeffers, DEQ, 1410 N. Hilton, Boise, ID 83706