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Allison Geiselbrecht, Principal
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RE: Approval of Extension for Submittal of Draft RI/FS Report

- **Site Name:** Smith-Kem Ellensburg Inc.
- **Site Address:** 200 South Railroad Avenue, Ellensburg
- **FSID No.:** 12832256
- **CSID No.:** 4257
- **Agreed Order:** DE 12908

Dear Allison Geiselbrecht:

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) approves of the 75-day extension per your (November 1, 2018) letter request, meaning the deadline for submittal of the draft Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS) report is now February 16, 2019.

However, note that Ecology only approves of the length of extension. We disapprove of your proposed approach regarding the Practical Quantification Limits (PQLs) of the contaminants of concern. We outline our objections in more detail in another letter.

Sincerely,

John Mefford
Cleanup Project Manager
Toxics Cleanup Program
Central Region Office

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