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Ms. Karen Patterson, Chair
SRS Citizens Advisory Board
1103 Conger Drive
Aiken, SC 29803

Dear Ms. Patterson:

**SUBJECT: Citizens Advisory Board (CAB) Recommendation Number 140 – Old
Radioactive Waste Burial Ground (ORWBG) Focus Group Final Report**

Thank you for your recommendation regarding the findings reached by the ORWBG Focus Group (FG). Savannah River Site (SRS) is taking the following steps to address the CAB's two recommendations:

CAB Recommendation 1: SRS plans to work with the Environmental Protection Agency-Region IV and the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control and will consider the remaining six FG recommendations during the final cleanup decision for the ORWBG.

CAB Recommendation 2: SRS has already addressed several of the FG recommendations. Other are planned to be addressed as part of future actions. An implementation plan for the FG report recommendations (numbers 2 through 7) will be presented to the SRS Environmental Restoration Committee at the CAB's Combined Committees meeting on August 28, 2001.

If you have any questions, please contact me or Cynthia Anderson at (803) 725-3966.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Greg Rudy", is positioned above the printed name.

Greg Rudy
Manager

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