

### Biographical Sketch for Tekla Staley

Tekla Staley is a Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH), Certified Safety Professional (CSP) and Certified Laser Safety Officer (CLSO) and has earned a B.S. in Chemistry with a minor emphasis in Business Administration/Management from The College of Idaho. She has over 31 years of experience providing health and safety support to retail business, private industry and government contractors covering pharmaceutical safety; asbestos abatement; semiconductor manufacturing; reactor safety; waste management; armor production; construction; and agriculture. Ms. Staley has 14 years of additional experience managing day-to-day operations, finances and safety and health of a 500 acre cattle ranch.

Tekla has spent over 26 years at the INL, actively promoting integrated safety management concepts, with assignments at ATR, TAN, INTEC and SMC. She has served as subject matter expert and point of contact for many INL programs and is currently the INL Laser Safety Officer and Technical Point of Contact for the INL Laser Safety and Asbestos Management Programs, and a member of the SMC Security Awareness Team. Tekla is currently focused on ergonomic solutions for non-automated production lines. She is a member of the ANSI Z136 Technical Subcommittee on the Safe Use of Lasers in Manufacturing Environments and is a qualified INL management assessor.

Ms. Staley has participated in a number of Management Self Assessments, Contractor Readiness Assessments and special projects including the PBF-632 Biological Decontamination Project; Three Mile Island Fuel Drying and Storage Project; Cask Dismantlement project; Material Security and Consolidation Project, and Spent Fuel Treatment Project Activities. Additionally, Tekla has consulted with US Army personnel on proposed methods for destruction of VX nerve agent; and assists DOE-ID in providing independent safety & health assistance at US Army contract facilities, including the Ohio Tank Plant, Aberdeen Test Center, and Anniston Depot.