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Safety Division

REPLY TO ATTENTION OF

Ms. Sherry W. Lewis
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Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Dear Ms. Lewis:

As we stated at our meeting with you on February 10, 2000, we are hereby requesting an extension of 60 days to reply to your request for additional information regarding the Jefferson Proving Ground Decommissioning Plan and Risk Assessment.

This extension is needed to allow Michael Ebinger, Los Alamos National Laboratory, author of the two documents, to reply to your questions; he has just recently returned from vacation.

Point of contact for this action is Mr. Bob Aaserude, CSTE-DTC-IM-S, office email ims@dtc.army.mil, personal email aaseruder@dtc.army.mil, (410) 278-1308, FAX (410) 278-3735.

Sincerely,

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Chief, Safety Division

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