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Mr. John P. Roberts, Acting Associate Director
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U. S. Department of Energy
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Dear Mr. Roberts:

SUBJECT: TRANSMITTAL OF NOT-READILY-AVAILABLE REFERENCE

In a letter to the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) dated August 14, 1992, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission informed DOE of the results of the NRC staff's Detailed Technical Review of the Study Plan for "Characterization of the Yucca Mountain Regional Surface-Water Runoff and Streamflow: (Study Plan 8.3.1.2.2.2). In Question 2 of the NRC staff's concerns there was a citation to a report by Smith and others (1982). Because this reference is considered to be a not-readily-available reference, a copy of the Smith and others report is enclosed.

A response to this letter or the enclosed report is not required. If you have any questions, please call Charlotte Abrams of my staff at (301) 504-3403.

Sincerely,

JS
Joseph J. Holonich, Director
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