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RE: Contract No. NRC-02-88-005

Mr. Jesse L. Funches
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Division of High Level Waste Management
Mail Stop 4H3
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Subject: CNWRA Program Manager's Periodic Report for Period 11-FY1989
(Text)

Dear Mr. Funches:

Pursuant to Section F.1.5 of the above referenced contract, enclosed herewith is the text portion of our "Program Manager's Periodic Report (PMPR)," which reflects the activities of the Center from July 8, 1989, through August 4, 1989. Also enclosed is a diskette containing the text of the report in standard ASCII format.

We wish to call to your attention Section 1.3 dealing with outstanding problems. One deals with a situation we have addressed several times: technical interactions with the DOE and its contractors. Although there has been substantial progress toward setting up more formal interactions, timely technical interchange would greatly benefit the program and, in some cases, is essential to the completion of approved work. The second matter deals with the amount of work which precedes submittal of a research project plan. We intend to address both of these matters in the coming period.



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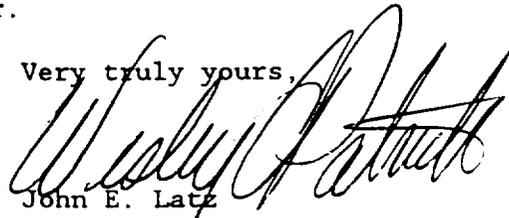
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Please note that the estimated figures and the year-to-date are those from the Interim Spending Plans for those elements/subelements in the High Level Waste category. The corresponding figures for the Transportation Risk Study the Research category are illustrative of those listed in the Year Two Spending Plans. The Proprietary Cost of the PMPR portion was transmitted under separate cover.

Very truly yours,



John E. Latz
President

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