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U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
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Subject: Major Milestone 20-3702-310-003, Natural Resources Regulatory
Requirements: Background and Consideration of Compliance Methodologies

Reference: Letter of August 5, 1992 from John E. Latz to Sharon D. Mearse

Dear Ms. Mearse:

The outline of the subject major milestone report was provided to you earlier with the reference letter. That outline was arrived at through discussion with Mr. Dave Brooks and Dr. Keith McConnell. A delivery date of September 23 was also requested through the reference letter.

Copies of the completed report are submitted with this letter. Some of the work incorporated in this report was done over the last two years while other sections have been significantly updated. In addition to providing a history of regulations relating to natural resources, this document includes a description of natural resources at the Yucca Mountain Site and also discusses a possible method of compliance demonstration.

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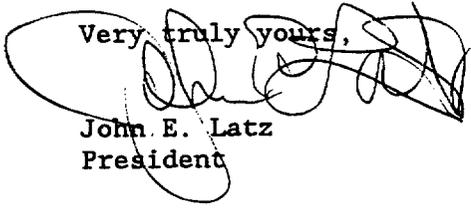
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We anticipate that the report will meet your expectation. For any question, please call Mr. Mike Miklas at (512) 522-5207 or Dr. Budhi Sagar at (512) 522-5252.

Very truly yours,



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