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Dear Mr. Holonich:

This letter transmits the enclosed information copies of Revisions 1 and 2 of the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management Quality Assurance Requirements and Description to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

The following is provided for your information concerning each of the Quality Assurance Requirements and Description revisions:

Quality Assurance Requirements and Description, Revision 1, dated 7/11/94

This revision to the Quality Assurance Requirements and Description updated the Policy Statement to reflect the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management Director's policy on quality assurance. In addition, Section 1.0 of the manual was revised to reflect the reorganization of the Yucca Mountain Site Characterization Office and the U.S. Department of Energy/Headquarters Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management organizations.

Quality Assurance Requirements and Description, Revision 2, dated 2/3/95

This revision to the Quality Assurance Requirements and Description involved Section 7.0, "Control of Purchased Items and Services." This section was reworded to permit the Office of Quality Assurance to perform supplier preaward surveys and audits for "purchasers" of items or services. This action implements recommendations contained in the report "Reengineering of the Quality Assurance Function on the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Program" released in August 1994 by the Director, Office of Quality Assurance.

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