

April 2, 2001

MEMORANDUM TO: C. William Reamer, Chief  
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Division of Waste Management  
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

FROM: Kien Chang, Project Manager /RA/  
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SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
AND U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY QUALITY ASSURANCE  
AND KEY TECHNICAL ISSUES STATUS MEETINGS

DATE/TIME OF MEETING: April 17, 2001  
**Quality Assurance** 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. (PDT) Noon - 2:30 p.m. (EDT)  
**Key Technical Issues** 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. (PDT) 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. (EDT)

LOCATION: The Atrium  
1551 Hillshire Drive  
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Rockville, MD	

PURPOSE: Discuss resolution of issues, describe progress in ongoing resolution and discuss concerns related to quality and discuss issues related to Key Technical Issue agreements and associated activities

AGENDA: Attached

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**DOE/NRC Quarterly QA Meeting  
Draft Agenda  
April 17, 2001**

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<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>Introduction</b>	
<b>9:10 AM</b>	<b>Status of Model Validation</b>	<b>DOE</b>
<b>9:20 AM</b>	<b>Progress Made in Qualifying Data</b>	<b>DOE</b>
<b>9:35 AM</b>	<b>Progress Made in Qualifying Software</b>	<b>DOE</b>
<b>10:05 AM</b>	<b>Corrective Action Status (including DR-039)</b>	<b>DOE</b>
<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>NRC Interfaces for Observing External Vendor Audits</b>	<b>NRC/DOE</b>
<b>10:45 AM</b>	<b>Status of NRC Inspection Program</b>	<b>NRC</b>
<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>Results of the UZ and EBS PMR Audits</b>	<b>NRC/DOE</b>
<b>11:30 AM</b>	<b>Adjourn</b>	

**DOE/NRC KTI Status Breakout Session  
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<b>12:30 PM</b>	<b>Status of KTI Subissues</b>	<b>NRC</b>
<b>12:40 PM</b>	<b>Status of KTI Agreements</b>	<b>NRC</b>
<b>12:50 PM</b>	<b>NRC Review Process of Documents Received Pertaining to KTI Agreements</b>	<b>NRC</b>
<b>1:00 PM</b>	<b>Plans for an Integrated IRSR, purpose, format and relationship with Sufficiency Review and YMRP</b>	<b>NRC</b>
<b>1:15 PM</b>	<b>Lessons learned (RDTME)</b>	<b>DOE</b>
<b>1:25 PM</b>	<b>NRC Chairman's response to Nevada Nuclear Waste Task Force's letter</b>	<b>NRC</b>
<b>1:30 PM</b>	<b>Adjourn</b>	