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Dear Ms. Holm:

This is in response to your September 26, 2002 request for comments on the draft Tribal Resources Booklet. We would like to provide the following comments:

- a. Include the following acronym in your list:

NRC - U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
- b. The correct web address for NRC's Office of State and Tribal Programs is: <http://www.hsrdoernl.gov/nrc/home.html>.

For additional information you can also access NRC's website at <http://www.nrc.gov>. NRC's role in the interaction and support function for the booklet's target audience is quite limited. Our participation in the transportation campaign for the Department of Energy will be to approve transportation casks and security aspects of shipments.

We would like to thank you for the opportunity of providing comments on this issue. If you need further assistance please contact me at 301-415-2325 or Mr. Osiris Siurano of my staff at 301-415-2307 or e-mail: osp@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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