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CLOSURE OF STANDARD DEFICIENCY REPORTS (SDRS) 460, 461, 462, 463, 467, 469, 470, AND 471, REVISION 0, RESULTING FROM YUCCA MOUNTAIN PROJECT OFFICE QUALITY ASSURANCE AUDIT 89-07 OF LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY

SDRs 460, 461, 462, 463, 467, 469, 470, and 471, Revision 0, have been closed based on satisfactory verification of completed corrective actions. Copies of the SDRs are enclosed for your files.

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activities affecting quality shall be clearly established and delineated in writing. These activities affecting quality include both the performing functions of attaining quality objectives and the QA functions."

LANL QAPP, Rev. 4.4, Para. 1.4, states "When more than one LANL subcontractor organization is involved in activities affecting quality, the responsibility and authority of each organization for interface, as well as changes thereto, shall be clearly established and documented and any shared responsibilities shall be defined and documented. To support these interfaces, required interface documentation shall be defined in the administrative procedures. The YMP administrative procedures (APs) shall provide the implementing interface controls used by LANL. A LANL QP shall describe the methods of conducting and documenting interorganizational interfaces."

9 Deficiency (continued)

cient details describing the methods of conducting and documenting interorganizational interfaces.

10 Recommended Actions (continued) prevent recurrence.

Remedial actions: Revise the QAPP, Section 1.4, Interface Between Organizations, and the administrative implementing procedure, QP-01.1, R1, Procedure for Interface Control, to eliminate ambiguity.

Investigative actions: None Required.

16 Cause of the Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence

Cause: An ambiguous QAPP requirements statement and further, inadequate direction in the implementing procedure over how to identify an interface and establish the appropriate controls.

Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence: Refer to the remedial action stated above.

#### ATTACHMENT

Responses to the below listed SDRs are amended or clarified as indicated.

#### SDR 460-Amendment

1. Change Block 14-Remedial/Investigative Action(s) to read as follows:

"Remedial Action-QP01.1 will be revised to detail the methods for conducting and documenting organizational interfaces and to define responsibilities and authority for subcontractor interface controls. In addition, Figure 1-1 of the QAPP will be updated to correctly identify current LANL Subcontractors and Participating Groups."

"Investigative Action-None Required."

2. Change Block 16-Cause of Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence to read as follows:

"Cause-QP01.1, Rev. 0 did not adequately detail methods for conducting and documenting organizational interfaces or define responsibilities and authority for subcontractor interface controls."

" Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence-See Remedial Action stated above."

#### SDR 462-Amendment

1. Change Block 14-Remedial/Investigative Action(s) to read as follows:

"Remedial Action-A new procedure, QP02.5-Procedure for the Selection of Personnel, will be issued to provide a format for position descriptions to document equivalent education and experience requirements that may be used to evaluate an individuals capabilities in lieu of specified formal education. All LANL position descriptions will be rewritten in compliance with this format. In addition, QP02.5 will provide a method for responsible supervision to further evaluate and document an individuals capabilities and acceptability for any position even though they do not comply with the equivalents specified in position descriptions. In these instances justification for acceptance of the individual must be documented. The two individuals identified in Block 9 will be evaluated in accordance with the requirements of QP02.5 and the status of their acceptability documented."

"Investigative Action-See Remedial Action stated above."

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certification acknowledging receipt and understanding of indoctrination and training. Step 19 requires the individual's supervisor to sign the certification accepting the indoctrination and training for the individual's qualification.

9 Deficiency (continued)

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10 Recommended Actions (continued)

determine the extent and depth of similar deficient conditions listed as examples on the SDR. Identify these deficiencies and provide the measures required to correct them. Identify the cause of the condition and the planned corrective action to prevent recurrance.

Remedial Actions: The record of the individual noted in Block #9 will be corrected.

Investigative actions: All LANL personnel files will be reviewed and corrected as necessary for similar and other noted deficiencies.

16 Cause of the Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence

Cause of the condition: The training matrices were prepared by listing procedures that were in preparation, in anticipation of needed training. The procedures in Block #9 were never approved for use. The procedures were incorrectly copied from the matrices.

Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence: The procedure QP-02.1, Training, will be revised (or change request issued) to replace the YMP Certification form with a new form that does not require the listing of the procedures to which personnel have been trained.

### VERIFICATION

- o The training record that indicated an individual had been certified to four procedures that did not exist was verified to be superseded by a corrected record.
- o A random selection of LANL training files indicated that LANL training files had been updated.
- o QPs 2.1 and 2.2 have been replaced by QPs 2.5, 2.6, 2.7. and 2.9. QP 2.7, Attachment 1 has replaced the YMP Certification Form. Training is assigned by the manager on this form.

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position."

TWS-QAS-QP-02.1, Rev. 1, Para. 6.2, Step 9, requires "Supervisors are responsible for determining and documenting that the personnel selected have relevant experience commensurate with the minimum requirements specified in the position description." Para. 6.3, Step 10, requires supervisors to "...verify resumes of employees or potential employees for accuracy and conformance to position description requirements, by reviewing the Project resume against the position description, and document verification of relevant education and experience by signing and dating the Project Resume Form...."

9 Deficiency (continued)

"equivalent experience" in lieu of the stated formal education requirements.

o Project Leader (EES-13)

Required: MS or equivalent

Actual: BS ChE

o Lab Technician (LS-2)

Required: BS or equivalent

Actual: No degree

10 Recommended Actions (continued)

to determine the extent and depth of similar deficient conditions listed as examples on the SDR. Identify these deficiencies and provide the measures required to correct them. Identify the cause of the condition and the planned corrective action to prevent recurrance.

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Remedial actions: A change request will be issued to QP-02.1, Training, stipulating a format for equivalent education and experience in lieu of the stipulated basic education and experience requirements stated on the position description. The two position descriptions noted in Block #9 of the SDR will be rewritten in this new format to document the basis for accepting the equivalent experience of each individual.

Investigative actions: All LANL position descriptions will be rewritten in the revised format to record the basis for accepting the equivalent experience.

16 Cause of the Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence

Cause of the Condition: The procedure, QP-02.1, as written did not require any supervisor to record the basis for acceptance of equivalent experience in lieu of stated formal education. The supervisor simply stated his acceptance of the qualifications of the LANL staff member by signing the YMP Resume Forms.

Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence: The procedure change noted in Block #14 will provide the mechanism by which LANL supervisor decisions involving equivalent experience in lieu of formal education will be documented. This will provide uniformity throughout the LANL project for documenting these decisions.

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#### ATTACHMENT

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#### SDR 460-Amendment

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"Investigative Action-None Required."

2. Change Block 16-Cause of Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence to read as follows:

"Cause-QP01.1, Rev. 0 did not adequately detail methods for conducting and documenting organizational interfaces or define responsibilities and authority for subcontractor interface controls."

" Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence-See Remedial Action stated above."

#### SDR 462-Amendment

Change Block 14-Remedial/Investigative Action(s) to read as follows:

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"Investigative Action-See Remedial Action stated above."

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#### VERIFICATION

- o QP 2.5, paragraph 6.1.3 covers education and experience in lieu of stipulated education and experience.
- o The Project Leader (EES-13) and Lab Technician (LS-2) Position Descriptions were verified to be updated to specify equivalent education and experience.
- o A random selection of LANL Position Descriptions indicates that education and experience in lieu of stipulated education and experience is being specified on the Position Descriptions when applicable.

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per QP-03.15, para. 6.3. The transmitted letter requested the reviewers to assure:

- 1. The FRD is correct.
- 2. The FRD is consistent with the ESF SDRD.
- 3. The FRD is concisely and logically structured.
- 4. The FRD fulfils its purpose adequately to start Title II design.
- 5. The FRD complies with the LANL QA plan.
- 9 Deficiency (continued)

design review process. (See attached List of Discrepancies)

- 2. The FRD referenced the design input source as the ESF SDRD, Benchmark #5 draft. Although, that was the issued version at the time of FRD preparation, Benchmark #6 changes had been approved by DOE/HQ (02/21/89) issued by YMPO (08/07/89) for incorporation into the SDRD. The changes of Benchmark #6 impacted the list of DOE orders in para. 2.2 of the FRD.
- 3. It is noted that QP-03.15, Rev. 0, was the correct procedure for design review at the time of FRD review; subsequently, QP-03.15, Rev. 1, 10/12/89 directs design reviews to be performed in accordance with QP-03.16, Rev. 0, 10/12/89.
- 10 Recommended Actions (continued) prevent recurrence.

21. Remarks (continued)

was clarified by Change request CR No 125, 3/9/90 (3/19/90 effective)

to provide for technical review of design documents in accordance

with TWS. QHS-QP-03.2 instead of TWS-QH-03.15. Training

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Remedial Action(s): The current Functional Requirements Document (FRD) will be corrected to reflect the noted discrepancies in the SDR attachment, pages 1 and 2. The text will be amended to reflect current versions of the Department of Energy (DOE) orders, YMP Benchmark #6, that will govern the work. Upon completion of these revisions, the document will be technically reviewed to assure that any corrections do not impact the technical content of the document.

Investigative Action(s): None required.

16 Cause of the Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence

Cause of the Condition: In appropriate use of QP-03.16, Procedure for TMO Review of Design Information. Implementing procedure, QP-03.2, Procedure for Preparation and Technical and Policy Review of Technical Information Products, should have been used prior to issue of the FRD.

Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence: Modify QP-03.16, Procedure for TMO Review of Design Information, to require use of QP-03.2 prior to release of technical information.

### LANL AUDIT 89-7

# LIST OF DISCREPANCIES INTEGRATED DATA SYSTEM (IDS) FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS DOCUMENT (FRD)

	PAGE	REFERENCE	DISCREPANCY
1.	2	para 2.2	DOE Order 1330 Draft is 1330.1B Draft per SDRD BM6.
2.	2	para 2.2	DOE Order 1450.1C, listed in SDRD BM5 and BM6, is not listed in the FRD.
3.	2	para 2.2	DOE Order 5310.1A is not listed in SDRD BM5 or BM6 and DOE Order 5300.1B, listed in SDRD BM6, is not listed in the FRD.
4.	11	fig. 3.2.1	Element 1.1.1.5 is identified as "IDS Installation Tests" on logic tree, but "IDS Installation Checks" on page 12.
5.	13	fig.3.2.1	Element 1.1.1.6 and 1.1.1.7 are identified as "System Configuration" and "Instrument Configuration" on logic tree, but "System Configuration Input" and "Instrument Configuration Input" on page 11 (fig. 3.2.1) and page 12.
6.	17	fig. 3.2.4	Element 1.2.1.2 is identified as "Verify" on logic tree, but "Protect" on page 15 (fig. 3.2.3) and page 16.
7.	19	fig. 3.2.5	Element 1.2.1.2 is identified as "Verify" on logic tree; same as comment 6 above.
8.	20	para 3.2.5	"Test Controls" is identified as element 1.1.3, a part of element 1.1, "ACQUIRE"; fig. 3.1.2 (page 5) and fig. 3.2.5 (page 19) show the elements as 1.2 "PROCESS" and 1.2.3 "Test Controls."
9.	22	para. 3.2.6	Paragraph "Store" is a 2nd level element; previous paragraphs and figures are 3rd level elements. The paragraph title should be "IDS Data Archive". A new paragraph 3.2.7, "On-Line" should be inserted.
10.	22	para. 3.2.6	"STORE" is identified as element 1; the correct element designation is 1.3.
11.	24	para. 3.2.7	Paragraph "Distribute" is a 2nd level element; same as comment 9.

12.	25	fig. 3.2.8	Figure does not include 5th level elements 1.5.1.1.1, 1.5.1.1.2, 1.5.1.2.1, 1.5.1.2.2, 1.5.1.2.3; 5th level elements are presented on fig. 3.2.3 (page 15), fig. 3.2.4 (page 17), and fig. 3.2.5 (page 19).
13.	26	para. 3.2.8	"Malfunction Alarm" and subelements are identified as 1.5.1.4, 1.5.1.4.1, etc. The correct elements designations are 1.5.1.2, 1.5.1.2.1, etc.
14.	27	fig. 3.2.9	Figure does not include 5th level elements 1.5.2.3.1, 1.5.2.3.2; same as comment 12 above.
15.	28	para. 3.2.9	"Instrument Malfunction Alarm" subelements are identified as 1.5.2.4.1 and 1.5.2.4.2; the correct element designations are 1.5.2.3.1 and 1.5.2.3.2
16.	29	fig. 3.2.10	Element 1.6.3.2 is identified as "Provide Data I/O Terminals"; para. 3.2.10 (page 30) identifies the element title as "Provide Data I/O Terminals and Remote Access."
17.	30	para. 3.2.10	Paragraph "Operate" is a 2nd level element; same as comment 9 above.
18.	30	para. 3.2.10	"Maintenance and Operations" and subelements are identified as 1.6.4, 1.6.4.1, etc. The correct element designations are 1.6.3, 1.6.3.1, etc. Also "Maintenance and Operations" should be italicized.
19.	49	Appdx. B	"National Bureau of Standards" (NBS) should be "National Institute of Standards and Technology" (NIST). NIST was correctly identified on pages 12 and 16.
20.	52	Appdx. E	"NBS" should be "NIST"; same as comment 19 above.

#### SDR 463-Clarification

1. Add the following to Block 16-Cause of Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence:

"Training will be provided to reviewers to identify the relationship of QP03.2 and QP03.16 and emphasize appropriate use of these procedures during the review process."

#### SDR 464-Amendment

1. Change Block 16-Cause of Condition and Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence to read as follows:

"Cause-Study plans were not checked after changes(additions) were made to ensure changes did not impact technical content. These changes were made at the verbal direction of the Project Office."

"Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence-Remaining Study Plans will be checked by Technical Reviewers to ensure any changes or additions do not impact technical content of the Study Plans prior to submittal to the Project Office."

#### SDR 465-Amendment

1. Change Block 14-Remedial\Investigative Action(s) to read as follows:

"Remedial Action-The DPs listed in Block 9 of the SDR will be reviewed and corrected as necessary to address acceptance and reject criteria or limits."

"Investigative Action-All remaining DPs will be reviewed to ensure that acceptance and reject criteria or limits are adequately addressed in these procedures. Corrections to remaining DPs will be made as necessary."

### SDR 466-Amendment

1. Change Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence in Block 16 to read as follows:

"All manual holders will be retrained in QPO6.1 document control requirements. During the following quarter, the LANL QAS will verify from a random sample of QA Manuals that a 95% confidence level for the manuals has been achieved. In addition, an overview of QA Manuals for

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and to help identify root causes of nonconformances. Results shall be reported to upper management for review and assessment. TWS-QAS-QP-16.2, Rev. 0, Para. 5.2, states "The Quality Assurance Support group generates trending data on a quarterly basis, beginning in January, and delivers these data to the QAPL. TWS-QAS-QP-16.2, Rev. 0, Para. 8.0, states "An approved quarterly trending report is the criterion that demonstrates satisfactory compliance with this QP."

Remedial Actions: Issue a final trending report to cover Calendar Year 1989. The report will incorporate data from audit findings, SDRs, CARs and NCRs issued during the calendar year with recommendations for improvements to the quality program based upon the QAPL's review of the Trend Analysis Report.

Investigative actions: None required, the remedial action above covers all issued involved in trending.

16 Cause of the Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence:

None required.

proper document control will be performed by the QAS each calendar quarter. The requirements for this overview will be documented in a change to QP06.1."

#### SDR 467-Clarification

1. Add the following to Block 16-Cause of Condition and Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence:

"Cause-It was intended to issue semi-annual Trend Reports rather than quarterly Trend Reports as required by QP16.2."

"Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence-QP16.2 will be revised to specify issuance of semi-annual Trend Reports rather than quarterly reports."

#### SDR 468-Amendment

Block 14-Remedial/Investigative Action(s)

"Remedial-Review generic deficiencies identified in Block 9 for the corrective action process as well as those identified for specific CARs. The QAPL will then determine what remedial action is appropriate for each identified deficiency."

"Investigative-Review all CARs Issued to date for indication of deficient conditions such as those described in Block 9 of the SDR. Document and report the results of this review to the QAPL so that corrective action determined to be necessary may be initiated."

Block 16-Cause of Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence

"Cause-Personnel error and procedural inadequacies."

"Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence-The Corrective Program procedures will be revised to restructure the program. As a result, program requirements not previously addressed will specified. After revision, training of all personnel involved in the Corrective Action Program will be performed with additional training provided to personnel involved with program implementation and administration."

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days of the audit report." Para. 6.7.1 states in part "The status of audit findings for the current year shall be updated monthly by the QAS and reported to the QAPL." LANL-YMP-QAPP, Rev. 4.4, Para. 16.1, states in part "The corrective action system shall ensure that conditions adverse to quality shall be identified promptly, documented on corrective action reports, and corrected soon as practical."

- 9 Deficiency (continued)
  - 1. The audit report was issued on July 11, 1989. However, a response was not issued until October 6, 1989, 63 days after the due date.
  - 2. Status of the audit findings was not reported to the QAPL as required.
  - 3. A corrective action report was never issued. However, the affected audit team leader was aware of the situation but did not take any action to identify it nor to document it.
- 10 Recommended Actions (continued)

determine the extent and depth of similar deficient conditions listed as examples on the SDR. Identify these deficiencies and provide the measures required to correct them. Identify the cause of the condition and the planned corrective action to prevent recurrence.

Remedial Action: None required for the deficiencies reported in Block 9, points 1 through 3. The QAPL is now aware of the audit finding status for LANL audit 89-02, and has notified the TPO, reference letter TWS-EES-13-12-89-003.

Investigative Action: Review the past LANL audit reports for calendar year 1988 and 1989 for a similar deficiency and prepare a summary report for the QAPL.

16 Cause of the Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence

Cause of the Condition: Follow-up actions were not documented by the audit team leader. Further, personnel did not follow the audit procedure and issue the audit status finding report. Subsequently no CAR was issued due to a lack of written documentation.

Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence: The LANL audit procedure, QP-18.1, will be revised to provide more explicit instructions regarding follow-up actions undertaken by the audit team leader and issue of a monthly audit finding status report. The LANL audit staff will be retrained to the new procedure upon its issue.

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TWS-QAS-QP-18.1, Rev. 1, Para. 6.4.2, states in part "Auditors document their investigations, observations, and names of personnel interviewed on the audit checklist." NNWSI/88-9, Rev. 2, Section XVIII, Para. 1.4, states in part "Objective evidence shall be examined to the depth necessary to determine if these elements are adequate for effective control and to determine whether or not they are being implemented effectively."

- 9 Deficiency (continued)
  - cable documents to be used during the audit.
  - 2. Numerous audit checklists do not contain the documented evidence reviewed during the audit.
  - 3. Checklists do not contain qualitative or quantitative criteria to determine whether or not the objective evidence examined during the audit is acceptable to the scope and requirements of the audit.
- 10 Recommended Actions (continued)

determine the extent and depth of similar deficient conditions listed as examples on the SDR. Identify these deficiencies and provide the measures required to correct them. Identify the cause of the condition and the planned corrective action to prevent recurrence.

Remedial Actions: Refer to investigative actions stated below.

Investigative Actions: Review the audit records for proper notification, completed checklists, appropriate document references, and qualitative and quantitative statements for acceptance. Results of each audit reviewed will be reported to the QAPL.

16 Cause of the Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence

Cause of the Condition: Audit direction contained within the implementing procedure was inadequate.

Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence: Revise the audit procedure to incorporate clear guidance on audit documentation. The audit staff will be trained to the revised procedure upon its issue.

#### SDR 470-Clarification

1. Change the last sentence of the response in Block 14 addressing Investigative Actions to read as follows:

"Results of each audit reviewed will be documented and reported to the QAPL who will initiate needed additional corrective action."

Responses to SDRs 461, 469, and 471 are considered to be acceptable.

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à	9 Deficiency TWS-QAS-QP-02.1, Rev.1, para. 4.2 and para 6.1, step 5, do not require position descriptions to identify needed indoctrination or training. Position descriptions do not generally identify training and indoctrination							
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requirements; training matrices, per QP-02.2 are not attached to certifications, resumes, or position descriptions, to show required training prior to annual certification.

10 Recommended Actions (continued) prevent recurrance.

Remedial actions: Procedure QP-02.1 will be changed to add the indoctrination and training requirements to each position description. All LANL position description will be revised to include this needed information and the files updated in accordance with the change.

Investigative actions: None required, the above actions involve all the LANL personnel files.

16 Cause of the Condition & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence

Cause of the condition: Implementing procedure did not require the inclusion of indoctrination and training requirements as a part of the position description.

Corrective action to prevent recurrence: A change request to the implementing procedure QP-02.1, Procedure for Personnel Selection, Indoctrination, and Qualification, will be issued requiring that position descriptions include applicable indoctrination and training information.

### VERIFICATION

- o QPs 2.1 and 2.2 have been replaced by QPs 2.5, 2.6, 2.7, and 2.9. QP 2.5, Attachment 2 and QP 2.6, Attachments 2-5 now address indoctrination and training.
- o A sampling of the LANL training files indicates indoctrination and training is specified, completed and documented on the above attachments.

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