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Office of Nuclear Material
Safety and Safeguards
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Reamer:

The purpose of this letter is to inform the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission of the Yucca Mountain Site Characterization Project Office's intention to perform a 90 percent design review of the Exploratory Studies Facility Title II Design Package 1C. Package 1C includes stand-by power generators and the compressed air system to support surface utilities. The package includes drawings, calculations, and other specifications.

The design package will be sent to you on or about January 10, 1994. The review period extends from January 10-24, 1994. The review meetings to receive observations will be held on January 25-27. On Tuesday, January 25, the meeting will be held at the Holiday Inn, 325 East Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, Nevada. On January 26-27, the meeting will be held at 101 Convention Center Drive, Conference Room 450. The meetings will begin at 8:30 a.m. each day.

If you have any questions, please contact Chris Einberg at (202) 586-8869.

Sincerely,

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