

September 14, 1995

MEMORANDUM TO: Michael J. Bell, Chief
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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR REVIEW OF DOE ANNOTATED OUTLINE FOR TOPICAL
 REPORT, "DISPOSAL CRITICALITY ANALYSIS"

As you are aware, in an August 18, 1995, letter from S. Brocoum of the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) to J. Holonich of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), DOE requested an NRC scoping review of it's annotated outline for the topical report, "Disposal Criticality Analysis." Please conduct a scoping review consistent with NRC's "Topical Report Review Plan." Provide your technical comments to me by September 29, 1995, so that I can transmit them to DOE before the NRC-DOE technical exchange on Disposal Criticality scheduled for October 10, 1995. If you have any questions about this request please contact Robert Johnson, who is the project manager for topical report reviews.

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