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APPROVAL OF RESPONSE EXTENSION REQUEST FOR DEFICIENCY REPORT (DR) YM-96-D-044 RESULTING FROM YUCCA MOUNTAIN QUALITY ASSURANCE DIVISION'S (YMQAD) AUDIT YMP-ARP-96-07 OF SANDIA NATIONAL LABORATORIES (SCPB: N/A)

Reference: Ltr, Brady to Spence, dtd 7/9/96

The referenced letter requested that the response due date for DR YM-96-D-044 be extended to July 23, 1996. Please be advised that this date is acceptable to YMQAD. As the first request for extension on this DR, the new due date is accepted in accordance with Administrative Procedure 16.1Q, Revision 1.

Please be advised additional requests will be escalated through Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management.

If you have any questions, please contact either Robert B. Constable at (702) 794-5580 or Stephen D. Harris at (702) 794-5522.

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