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APPROVAL OF EXTENSION REQUEST FOR DEFICIENCY REPORT (DR) YM-97-D-004 RESULTING FROM OFFICE OF QUALITY ASSURANCE (OQA) SUPPLIER AUDIT OQA-SA-97-002 OF EPPLEY LABORATORY

Reference: Ltr, Chaney to Horton, dtd 2/28/97

The referenced letter requested that the due date for DR YM-97-D-004 be extended to March 28, 1997. Please be advised that this date is acceptable to the OQA. 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 the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management.

If you have any questions, please contact either James Blaylock at (702) 794-1420 or Richard L. Maudlin at (702) 794-1302.

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