

August 28, 1997

MEMORANDUM TO: Michael J. Bell, Acting Chief
Performance Assessment and High-Level
Waste Integration Branch
Division of Waste Management

FROM: Michael P. Lee, Systems Analyst
Performance Assessment and High-Level
Waste Integration Branch
Division of Waste Management

SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY (DOE)/U.S.
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION (NRC) QUARTERLY
TECHNICAL MEETING (VIDEO CONFERENCE)

DATE & TIME: September 10, 1997
12:00 p.m. — 4:00 p.m. (EST)

LOCATIONS:* NRC @ Two White Flint North
11545 Rockville Pike, Room T2B1
Rockville, Maryland 20852

DOE @ Summerlin Building 8
1180 Town Center Drive, Room 817
North Las Vegas, NV 89134

PURPOSE: Technical meeting to discuss items related to the site
characterization program.

PARTICIPANTS: NRC M. Nataraja *et al.* DOE C. Einberg *et al.* State of Nevada S. Frishman *et al.*

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R. Arnold, Pahrump (NV)	M. Stellavato, Nye County

Agenda: See attachment

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<i>Time</i>	<i>Item</i>	<i>Lead (s)</i>
12:00 p.m. (EST)	Opening Remarks	DOE, NRC, State, AUG
12:10	Scientific Studies Update <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Thermal Testing Update- Program Enhancement Update (including Surface-Based Drilling)- Additional work in the Exploratory Studies Facility- Status of Alcove Construction- East-West Drift	DOE
12:50	Engineering Design Program <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Level of Design Detail- Engineering Compliance Program Description- Design Binning Update- Use of Concrete Ground Support	DOE
3:45	Closing Remarks and Additional Discussion	DOE, NRC, State, AGU
4:00	Adjourn	

ATTACHMENT

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