

Memorandum

DATE: FEB 16 1990

REPLY TO: RW-3
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SUBJECT: Issue of the OCRWM Quality Assurance Requirements Document (QAR), Rev. 2

TO: Controlled Distribution List

Attached is a controlled copy of DOE/RW-0214, Quality Assurance Requirements (QAR) document, Revision 2. The effective date of this document is February 1, 1990.

The QAR, Revision 2 represents a change in format from Revision 1 to create a single generic baseline document that addresses Quality Assurance (QA) requirements for all OCRWM Program Elements. This revision does not deviate from the QA requirements already approved in Revision 1. Instead, the NQA-1 requirements applicable to all aspects of the RW program are retained in Sections 1-18, while unique requirements for the different Program Elements are moved to the Appendices. The specific requirements for Mined Geologic Disposal System (MGDS) are contained in Appendix A, and requirements applicable to Waste Acceptance Process activities are included in Appendix B. As QA requirements for Transport of Spent Fuel and High-Level Nuclear Waste and Monitored Retrievable Storage are developed, they will be incorporated in Appendices C and D, respectively.

It is felt that this restructuring of the QAR will provide a more uniform basis for program quality and will be more easily understood.

Please identify to the Office of Quality Assurance by memorandum any additional personnel in your area who require a Controlled copy of the QAR. These personnel will be added to the controlled distribution list and forwarded a controlled copy of the OCRWM Quality Assurance Manual, which contains DOE/RW-0214, QAR, Revision 2 and DOE/RW-0215, Quality Assurance Program Description (QAPD), Revision 1.

Please complete the actions requested on the Document Transmittal Record, also attached, and acknowledge receipt by the response due date indicated.

Dwight E. Shelor, Acting Director
Office of Quality Assurance

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SECTION A

DOCUMENT TRANSMITTAL

**TO: KENNEDY, JIM
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REPOSITORY, LICENSING & QA PROJECT DIRECTORATE, NRC
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Requirements for the Civilian Radioactive Waste Management
Program, Rev.2.**

INSTRUCTIONS TO RECIPIENT:

RESPONSE DUE DATE

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- 1) Remove Table of Contents, Rev.1 from the QAM and replace with attached Table of Contents, Rev.2, behind the proper tab.**
- 2) Remove QARD, Rev.1, from the QAM and replace with attached QARD, Rev.2, behind the proper tab.**
- 3) Mark removed copies as "superceded" or destroy.**
- 4) Acknowledge receipt of these documents and completion of above instructions by signing, dating and returning this Transmittal on or before the indicated due date.**

SECTION B

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COMMENTS:

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SECTION C

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