

October 29, 1997

Mr. Lake H. Barrett, Acting Director
Office of Civilian Radioactive
Waste Management
U. S. Department of Energy
Washington, DC 20585

SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO JUNE 20, 1997, LETTER REGARDING ALLEGATIONS OF
HARASSMENT AND INTIMIDATION

Dear Mr. Barrett:

I am responding to your June 20, 1997, letter to me, regarding the Department of Energy's (DOE's) process for handling allegations of harassment and intimidation (H&I) referred by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. NRC believes that DOE's process for handling allegations of H&I related to the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management (OCRWM) program, as described in the May 14, 1997, agreement with DOE's Office of Inspector General, adequately resolves NRC's concerns.

Thank you for your assistance in resolving our concerns. Should you have any questions, please contact Ms. Sandra Wastler at (301) 415-6724.

Sincerely,
[ORIGINAL SIGNED BY:]

Carl J. Paperiello, Director
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

cc: See attached list

TICKET: DWM-217

DISTRIBUTION: Central File DWM r/f DWM t/f LLDP r/f MBell
KStablein RJohnson PUBLIC Dir.Off.r/f

DOCUMENT NAME:s:\dwm\ldp\jtb\Barrett.h&l *See previous concurrence CP/PROOFED/OCTOBER 27, 1997

OFC	LLDP	LLDP	LLDP	PAHL	IMNS	DWM	NMSS
NAME	JBuckley*	LBell*	JHickey*	SWastler*	RO'Connell*	JGreeves*	CPaperiello
DATE	10/16/97	10/16/97	10/21/97	10/22/97	10/23/97	10/27/97	10/29/97

OFFICIAL RECORD COPY

LSS : YES NO
ACNW: YES NO
IG : YES NO Delete file after distribution: Yes No
PDR : YES NO

97-230

NL14

f/1
WM-11
102.2

NEAREST SISTER COPY

9711050163 971029
PDR WASTE
WM-11 PDR



Delete: ACNW



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

October 29, 1997

Mr. Lake H. Barrett, Acting Director
Office of Civilian Radioactive
Waste Management
U. S. Department of Energy
Washington, DC 20585

**SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO JUNE 20, 1997, LETTER REGARDING ALLEGATIONS OF
HARASSMENT AND INTIMIDATION**

Dear Mr. Barrett:

I am responding to your June 20, 1997, letter to me, regarding the Department of Energy's (DOE's) process for handling allegations of harassment and intimidation (H&I) referred by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. NRC believes that DOE's process for handling allegations of H&I related to the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management (OCRWM) program, as described in the May 14, 1997, agreement with DOE's Office of Inspector General, adequately resolves NRC's concerns.

Thank you for your assistance in resolving our concerns. Should you have any questions, please contact Ms. Sandra Wastler at (301) 415-6724.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Carl J. Paperiello".

Carl J. Paperiello, Director
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

cc: See attached list

cc: Letter to Lake H. Barrett, OCRWM, dated October 29, 1997

R. Milner, OCRWM
R. Loux, State of Nevada
B. Price, Nevada Legislative Committee
J. Meder, Nevada Legislative Counsel Bureau
W. Barnes, YMPO
C. Einberg, DOE/Wash, DC
M. Murphy, Nye County, NV
M. Baughman, Lincoln County, NV
D. Bechtel, Clark County, NV
D. Weigel, GAO
P. Niedzielski-Eichner, Nye County, NV
B. Mettam, Inyo County, CA
V. Poe, Mineral County, NV
W. Cameron, White Pine County, NV
T. Manzeni, Lander County, NV
L. Fiorenzi, Eureka County, NV
J. Regan, Churchill County, NV
L. Bradshaw, Nye County, NV
W. Barnard, NWTRB
R. Holden, NCAI
A. Collins, NIEC
S. Brocoum, YMPO
R. Arnold, Pahrump County, NV
N. Stellavato, Nye County, NV
J. Lyznicky, AMA
R. Clark, EPA
A. Gil, YMPO
R. Anderson, NEI
C. Henkel, NEI

Mr. Lake H. Barrett, Acting Director
 Office of Civilian Radioactive
 Waste Management
 Department of Energy
 Washington, DC 20585

SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO JUNE 20, 1997, LETTER, REGARDING ALLEGATIONS OF
 HARASSMENT AND INTIMIDATION

Dear Mr. Barrett:

I am responding to your June 20, 1997, letter to me, regarding the Department of Energy's (DOE's) process for handling allegations of harassment and intimidation (H&I) referred by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. NRC believes that DOE's process for handling allegations of H&I related to the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management (OCRWM) program, as described in the May 14, 1997, agreement with DOE's Office of Inspector General, adequately resolves NRC's concerns.

Thank you for your assistance in resolving our concerns. Should you have any questions, please contact Ms. Sandra Wastler at (301) 415-6724.

Sincerely,

Carl J. Paperiello, Director
 Office of Nuclear Material Safety
 and Safeguards

Handwritten signature and date: 10/27

cc: See attached list

TICKET: DWM-217

DISTRIBUTION: Central File DWM r/f DWM t/f LLDP r/f MBell
 KStablein RJohnson PUBLIC Dir.Off.r/f CPoland

DOCUMENT NAME: s:\dwm\lldp\jtb\Barrett.h&i *See previous concurrence

OFC	LLDP	LLDP	LLDP	PAHL	IMNS	DWM	NMSS
	JBuckley*	LBell*	JHickey	SWastler	RO'Connell		CPaperiello
DATE	10/16/97	10/16/97	10/21/97	10/22/97	10/23/97	10/27/97	10/ /97

OFFICIAL RECORD COPY

LSS : YES NO
 ACNW: YES NO
 IG : YES NO
 PDR : YES NO

Delete file after distribution: Yes No

Mr. Lake H. Barrett, Acting Director
 Office of Civilian Radioactive
 Waste Management
 Department of Energy
 Washington, DC 20585

SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO JUNE 20, 1997, LETTER, REGARDING ALLEGATIONS OF HARASSMENT AND INTIMIDATION

Dear Mr. Barrett:

I am
 This letter responds to your June 20, 1997, letter to me, regarding the Department of Energy's (DOE's) process for handling allegations of harassment and intimidation (H&I) referred by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. NRC believes that DOE's process for handling allegations of H&I related to the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management (OCRWM) program, as described in the May 14, 1997, agreement with DOE's Office of Inspector General, adequately resolves NRC's concerns.

Thank you for your assistance in resolving our concerns. Should you have any questions, please contact Ms. Sandra Wastler at (301) 415-6724.

Sincerely,

Carl J. Paperiello, Director
 Office of Nuclear Material Safety
 and Safeguards

cc: See attached list

TICKET: DWM-217

18/6 DISTRIBUTION: Central File DWM r/f *DWM + IF* MBell KStablein RJohnson LLDP r/f

PUBLIC Dir.Off.r/f CPoland

DOCUMENT NAME:s:\dwm\lldp\jtb\Barrett.h&i *See previous concurrence

OFC	LLDP	LLDP	LLDP	PAHL	IMNS	DWM	NMSS
NAME	JBuckley*	LBell*	JHickey	SWastler	RO'Connell		CPaperiello
DATE	10/16/97	10/16/97	10/ /97	10/ /97	10/ /97	10/ /97	10/ /97

OFFICIAL RECORD COPY

LSS : YES NO
 ACNW: YES NO
 IG : YES NO
 PDR : YES NO

Delete file after distribution: Yes No

Mr. Lake H. Barrett, Acting Director
 Office of Civilian Radioactive
 Waste Management
 Department of Energy
 Washington, DC 20585

SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO JUNE 20, 1997, LETTER, REGARDING ALLEGATIONS OF HARASSMENT AND INTIMIDATION

Dear Mr. Barrett:

This letter responds to your June 20, 1997, letter regarding the Department of Energy's (DOE's) process for handling allegations of harassment and intimidation (H&I) referred by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. NRC believes that DOE's process for handling allegations of H&I related to the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management (OCRWM) program, as described in the May 14, 1997, agreement with DOE's Office of Inspector General, adequately resolves NRC's concerns.

Thank you for your assistance in resolving our concerns. Should you have any questions, please contact Ms. Sandra Wastler at (301) 415-6724.

Sincerely,

John T. Greeves, Director
 Division of Waste Management
 Office of Nuclear Material Safety
 and Safeguards

cc: See attached list

TICKET: N/A, DWM-217

DISTRIBUTION: Central File DWM r/f MBell KStablein RJohnson LLDP r/f

PUBLIC SWastler

DOCUMENT NAME:s:\dwm\lldp\jtb\Barrett.h&i

OFC	LLDP	LLDP	LLDP	DWM
NAME	JBuckley	LBell	JHickey	
DATE	10/ /97	10/16/97	10/ /97	10/ /97

OFFICIAL RECORD COPY

LSS : YES NO

ACNW: YES NO

IG : YES NO Delete file after distribution: Yes No

PDR : YES NO



FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

OFFICE OF CIVILIAN RADIOACTIVE
WASTE MANAGEMENT
Regulatory Coordination Division

Forrestal Building, Room 5A-051
Fax No. (202) 586-7259
Verification No. (202) 586-7346

BETTY -
CHECK TO SEE
IF THIS HAS
EVER
TREATED

ACTION:
BUCKLEY
FOR
GREENGLASS
SIGNATURE

DATE: 10/10/97

TO: Margaret Felt

Fax No. 301-415-5397

FROM: Alan Bernstein Telephone No. (202) 586-2346

Number of pages (not including this page): 3

INFORMATION: PER CONSULTATION

