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Dear Mr. Gentil:

In accordance with our March 12 telephone conversation, please find enclosed a copy of NUREG/CR-3585, Vol. 2, plus a copy of NUREG/CR-4101. In regard to NUREG/BR-0053 and NUREG/BR-0058, both documents are procedural in nature rather than technical, and so are unlikely to be useful to you.

I also appreciate your confirmation of my understanding regarding French procedures for estimating the waste mass when determining compliance with radionuclide concentration limits within low-level waste. When low-level waste is solidified within the cement blocs used at le Centre de la Manche, the waste generator is allowed to consider the mass of the solidification agent plus the mass of the cement bloc. The generator is not, however, allowed to include the mass of the concrete monoliths into which the waste may be placed.

I hope that the enclosed material is useful to you. Please convey my regards to Mrs. Chapuis.

Sincerely,

/s/
G. W. Roles
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Enclosures:
NUREG/CR-3585, Vol. 2
NUREG/CR-4101

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