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**APPROVAL OF AMENDED RESPONSE EXTENSION REQUEST FOR DEF. AGENCY  
 REPORT (DR) YM-96-D-103 RESULTING FROM OFFICE OF QUALITY  
 ASSURANCE (OQA) SURVEILLANCE YMP-SR-96-027 OF THE CIVILIAN  
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM MANAGEMENT AND  
 OPERATING CONTRACTOR**

Reference: Memo, Smith to Sult, dtd 3/13/97

The referenced letter requested that the amended response due date for DR YM-96-D-103 be extended to July 1, 1997. Closure of this DR is dependent on issuance of Yucca Mountain Site Characterization Project Administrative Procedure 13.1 "Borehole Security and Access." All other open committed corrective actions will be verified at this time. Please be advised that this date is acceptable to 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 John R. Doyle at (702) 794-1465.

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