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SEPTEMBER 15, 1984 WORKING DRAFT OF THE NNWSI ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

Enclosed is a copy of our current draft (Sept 15, 1984) NNWSI Environmental Assessment (EA). We are providing this draft to you in a spirit of cooperation so that you can better understand the current status of the document. We encourage you to examine it with respect to its effectiveness to meet the requirements of the Nuclear Waste Policy Act (NWPA) of 1982, Section 112(b)(1)(E) and draft 10CFR960 (July 1984). The enclosed draft EA contains preliminary draft Chapters 2 through 5. Chapter 6 is currently undergoing revision and is not available to be reproduced at this time. The Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, Office of Geologic Repository Deployment is preparing the Executive Summary, Chapters 1, 7, and Appendix A. When drafts of the Executive Summary, these other Chapters, and the Appendix become available, we will forward them to you.

If you have any questions about the contents of the enclosed working draft, please contact Maxwell B. Blanchard of my staff (702-295-1091 or FTS 575-1091). We welcome questions and comments and will make every attempt to maintain effective communication with you about this subject.

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