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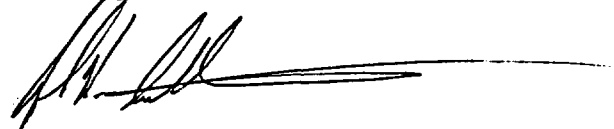
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Ladies and Gentlemen:

**PRESENTATIONS AND COMMITMENTS FROM THE QUARTERLY UPDATE MEETING FOR BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT AFFECTED PARTIES**

Per your request, attached are the presentation materials from the Quarterly Update meeting held January 14-15, 1987. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Max L. Powell on (509) 376-5267.

Sincerely,

  
John H. Anttonen, Assistant Manager  
for Commercial Nuclear Waste

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COMMITMENTS MADE AT QUARTERLY MEETING  
(responsible party identified in parentheses)

- The Department of Energy-Richland Operations Office (DOE-RL) will check with the Department of Energy-Headquarters (DOE-HQ) to determine the feasibility of providing the Basalt Waste Isolation Project's (BWIP) affected parties controlled copies of the Quality Assurance plans. (R. P. Saget)
- The DOE-RL will notify affected parties of peer review groups' meetings, reports, etc. (such as the January National Academy of Sciences visit). (M. L. Powell)
- The DOE-RL will determine the feasibility of listing peer reviews on the accessions list. (R. E. May)
- The DOE-RL will take under advisement the request that whenever outside organizations are given access to information, the same information should be provided to participants. (M. L. Powell)
- The DOE-RL will determine for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission onsite representative how many surveillances have been performed on the Site Characterization Plan (SCP) process, and how many nonconformances were identified. (R. T. Johnson)
- The DOE-RL will determine how changes in data are reflected in the accessions list and will determine if errata sheets can be put on the accessions list. (J. E. Mecca)
- The DOE-RL will send to its affected parties an explanation of how and to what extent the 18-criteria Quality Assurance program addresses the 14 risks to the affected parties's interest in the repository program that were identified during the quarterly meeting. (R. T. Johnson)
- The DOE-RL will provide affected parties with the updated Mission Plan. (M. L. Powell)
- At least three interactions will occur at major hold points before the start of Exploratory Shaft drilling: (M. L. Powell)
  - Scoping plans
  - Before start of Large-Scale Hydraulic Stress testing (LHS)
  - After LHS
- The DOE-RL will provide affected parties the data requested at the Hydrology Data Review by the end of January 1987. (K. M. Thompson)
- Any changes to strategies, allocations, or study plans will be visible, documented, and technically justifiable in the same manner as with the SCP, study plans, etc. (J. Graham)
- The DOE-RL will issue study plans 6 to 12 months prior to initiation of described activities and will issue study plans concurrently with SCP release for activities to be conducted within 12 months of the SCP. (J. Graham)

- The DOE-RL will develop a mechanism for releasing papers to participants when they are presented to professional society meetings. (R. E. May)
- The DOE-RL will provide its affected parties copies of papers (viewgraphs and abstracts) presented at the society meetings described in the "Current Geosciences Activities Update." (R. E. May)
- The DOE-RL will send the affected parties the reactive tracer strategy paper, and the groundwater methane report when they complete the DOE approval cycle and are released. (R. E. May)
- The DOE-RL will determine the history of DOE-RL involvement with a Battelle report on the extent of the basalt at Hanford for potential expansion of repository capacity (prepared for DOE-HQ decision makers as a source for the decision to delay the second repository program). Specifically, the DOE-RL will determine who in DOE-RL had opportunity to review it, why it was not on the Accessions List, and what mechanisms will be established to prevent a similar sequence of events. (D. H. Dahlem)
- The DOE-RL will take under advisement the suggestion to develop a study plan to investigate the coupled effect of vertical disturbance above the horizon resulting from thermal expansion within the horizon. (D. H. Dahlem)
- The DOE-RL will follow up on the Yakima Indian Nation's request following the Chernobyl accident for information on N Reactor (operational modes, blueprints, emergency preparedness plans, etc.). (M. L. Powell)
- The next quarterly meeting is tentatively scheduled for April 15-16, 1987. (M. L. Powell)
- The DOE-RL will correct the standard distribution for quarterly meetings to include the Nez Perce Nuclear Waste Policy Act Program Manager, Ron Halfmoon. (M. L. Powell)
- The DOE-RL is developing its Facility-Specific Outreach and Participation Plan and will be contacting participants for input in February or early March. (M. L. Powell)
- The DOE-RL will inform DOE-HQ that the state desires an extra day be provided at the states and Indian tribes quarterly meeting. (M. L. Powell)

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Basalt Waste Isolation Project  
 Technical Update Meeting  
 January 14-15, 1987  
 Attendance Sheet

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BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT  
 QUARTERLY TECHNICAL UPDATE MEETING  
 JANUARY 14-15, 1987

AGENDA

Wednesday, January 14, 1987

8:30 a.m.	Introductory Remarks	M. L. Powell
8:40 a.m.	Overview of Basalt Waste Isolation Project Status	O. L. Olson
9:00 a.m.	Exploratory Shaft Schedule	R. A. Holten
9:15 a.m.	Site Characterization Plan - SCP Status Report	J. E. Mecca
10:00 a.m.	BREAK	
10:15 a.m.	Site Characterization Plan - (Continued) Status of Issues Resolution Process	J. E. Mecca
11:00 a.m.	SCP Investigations and Study Plans	T. A. Curran
12:00 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK	
1:00 p.m.	Current Geosciences Activities Update	K. M. Thompson
1:30 p.m.	SCP Data Chapters	
	Chapter 1 - Geology	S. M. Price
	Chapter 2 - Geoengineering	K. Kim
	Chapter 3 - Hydrology	S. M. Baker
	Chapter 4 - Geochemistry	M. J. Furman
	Chapter 5 - Climatology	K. R. Simpson
2:45 p.m.	BREAK	
3:00 p.m.	Repository Conceptual Design Report	B. L. Nicoll
3:30 p.m.	SCP Quality Assurance Section 8.6	R. P. Saget/ R. K. Ramsgate
4:30 p.m.	ADJOURN	

AGENDA

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Thursday, January 15, 1987

8:30 a.m.	Yakima Program Update	
9:00 a.m.	State of Washington Department of Ecology Update	
9:30 a.m.	BREAK	
9:45 a.m.	Nez Perce Program Update	
10:15 a.m.	CTUIR Program Update	
10:45 a.m.	State of Washington WSIPP Update	
11:15 a.m.	Quality Assurance Overview - Definitions - Status of SWO - Role of Technical Peer Review	R. P. Saget
12:00 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK	
1:30 p.m.	Quality Assurance Overview (Continued)	R. P. Saget
4:30 p.m.	ADJOURN	

January 12, 1987



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**BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT**

**QUARTERLY TECHNICAL UPDATE MEETING**

**JANUARY 14-15, 1987**

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**Basalt Waste Isolation Project  
Quarterly Technical Update Meeting  
January 14-15, 1987  
Final Agenda**

**Wednesday**

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<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Exploratory Shaft Schedule</b>	<b>R. A. Holten</b>
<b>9:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Site Characterization Plan - SCP Status Report</b>	<b>J. E. Mecca</b>
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
<b>10:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Site Characterization Plan - Status of Issue Resolution Process</b>	<b>J. E. Mecca</b>
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>SCP Investigations and Study Plans</b>	<b>T. A. Curran</b>
<b>12:00 p.m.</b>	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>	

# **Final Agenda**

**Wednesday (cont.)**

<b>1:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Current Geosciences Activities Update</b>	<b>K. M. Thompson</b>
<b>1:30 p.m.</b>	<b>SCP Data Chapters Chapter 1 Geology Chapter 2 Geoengineering Chapter 3 Hydrology Chapter 4 Geochemistry Chapter 5 Climatology and Meteorology</b>	<b>S. M. Price K. Kim S. M. Baker M. J. Furman  K. R. Simpson</b>
<b>2:45 p.m.</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Repository Conceptual Design Report</b>	<b>B. L. Nicoll</b>
<b>3:30 p.m.</b>	<b>SCP Quality Assurance Section 8.6</b>	<b>R. P. Saget/ R. K. Ramsgate</b>
<b>4:30 p.m.</b>	<b>ADJOURN</b>	

## **Final Agenda (cont.)**

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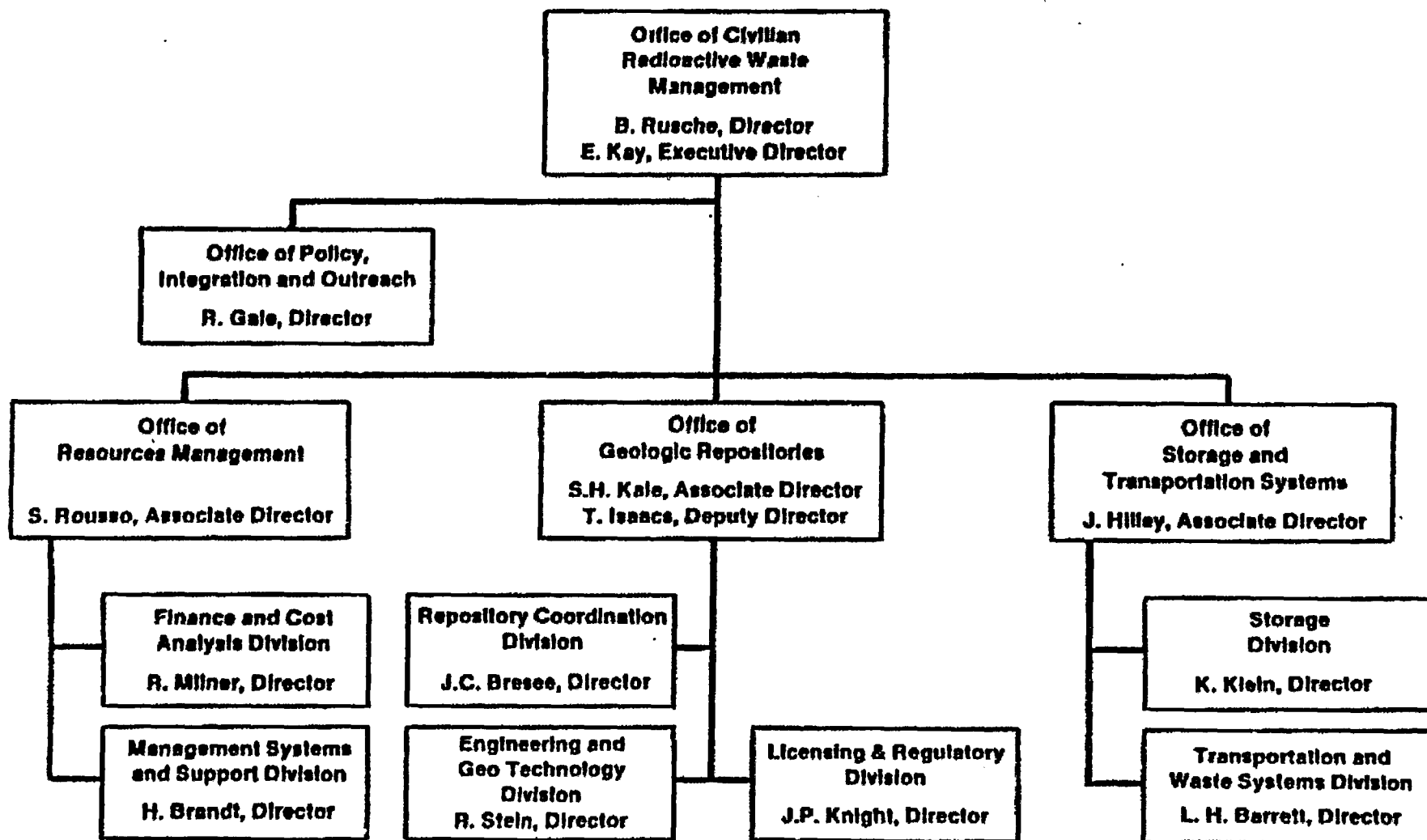
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| <b>8:30 a.m.</b>  | <b>Yakima Program Update</b>                                |                    |
| <b>9:00 a.m.</b>  | <b>State of Washington<br/>Department of Ecology Update</b> |                    |
| <b>9:30 a.m.</b>  | <b>BREAK</b>  |                    |
| <b>9:45 a.m.</b>  | <b>Nez Perce Program Update</b>                             |                    |
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| <b>10:45 a.m.</b> | <b>State of Washington WSIPP Update</b>                     |                    |
| <b>11:15 a.m.</b> | <b>Quality Assurance Overview</b>                           | <b>R. P. Saget</b> |
|                   | <b>- Definitions</b>  |                    |
|                   | <b>- Status of SWO</b>                                      |                    |
|                   | <b>- Role of Technical Peer Review</b>                      |                    |
| <b>12:00 p.m.</b> | <b>LUNCH BREAK</b>  |                    |
| <b>1:30 p.m.</b>  | <b>Quality Assurance Overview (cont.)</b>                   | <b>R. P. Saget</b> |
| <b>4:30 p.m.</b>  | <b>ADJOURN</b>  |                    |

**PROJECT OVERVIEW**

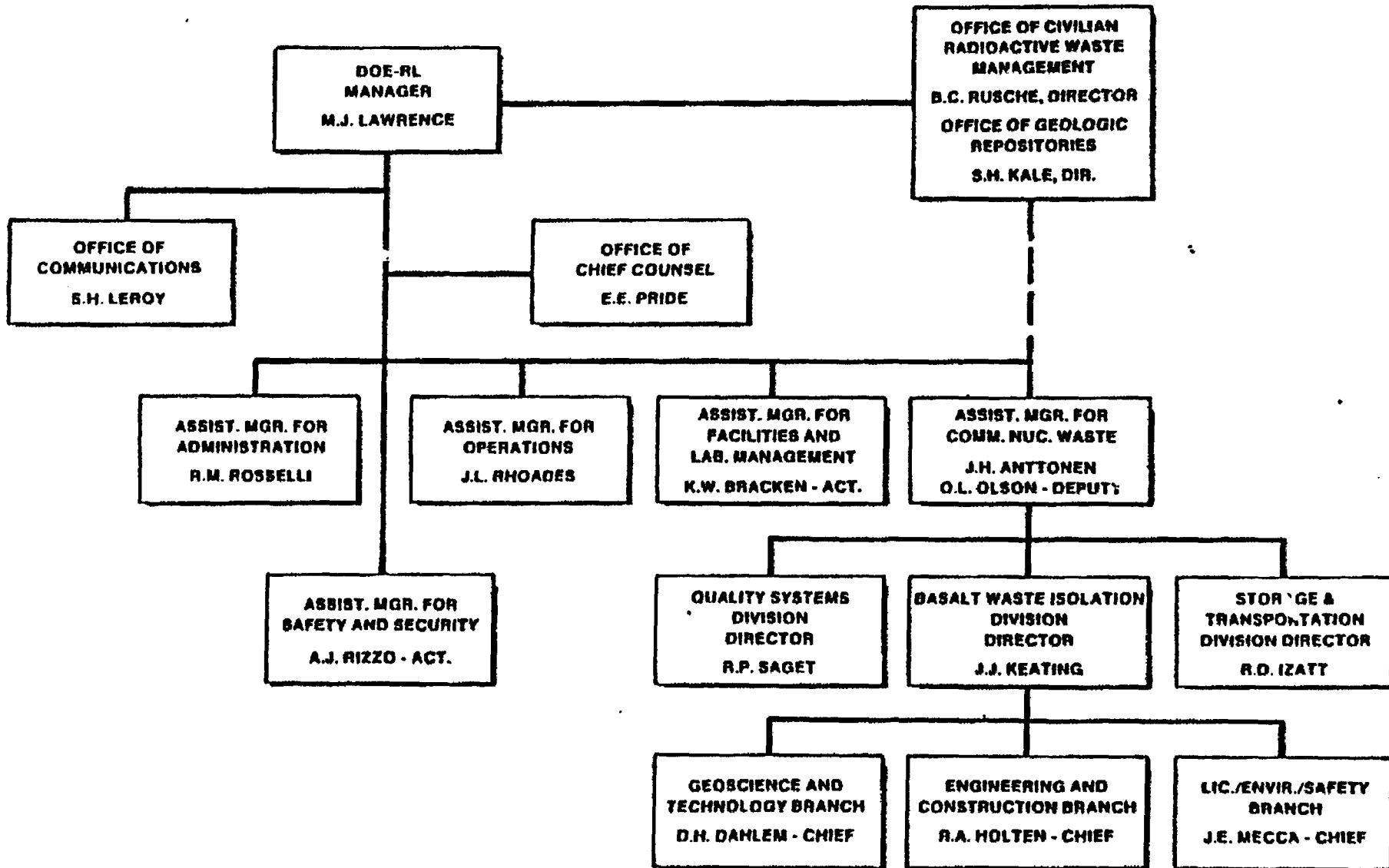
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# OFFICE OF CIVILIAN RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT



# BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT PROJECT MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION



**OFFICE OF ASSISTANT MANAGER FOR  
COMMERCIAL NUCLEAR WASTE (AMC)**

Assistant Manager — Anttonen\*  
Deputy - Olson  
Inst. Liaison - Powell  
Oper. Admin. - Turner  
Cost Control Spec. - Higgins  
Secretary - Wagnlid

**BASALT WASTE ISOLATION  
DIVISION (BWI)**

Director - Keating  
Secretary - Vale

Engineering and Construction Branch

Chief - Holten  
Secretary - Hickman  
Mining Engineer - Bolleau  
Project Engineer - Rokkan  
Project Engineer - Nicoll  
Project Engineer - Petrie  
Project Engineer - Smith  
Project Engineer - LaMont

Geoscience & Technology Branch

Chief - Dahlem  
Secretary - Maclaren  
Geochemist - Furman  
Geologist - Marjanemi  
Hydrologist - Knepp  
Hydrologist - Thompson  
Project Engineer - Lassila  
Project Engineer - Squires

Licensing/Environmental/Safety Branch

Chief - Mecca  
Secretary - Jacobs  
Licensing Specialist - Bell  
Licensing Engineer - Kovacs  
Project Engineer - Krupar

**QUALITY SYSTEMS DIVISION (QSD)**

Director - Sagef  
QA Engineer - Davies  
QA Engineer - Kasch  
QA Engineer - Litz  
QA Engineer - Subramanian  
QA Specialist - Newby

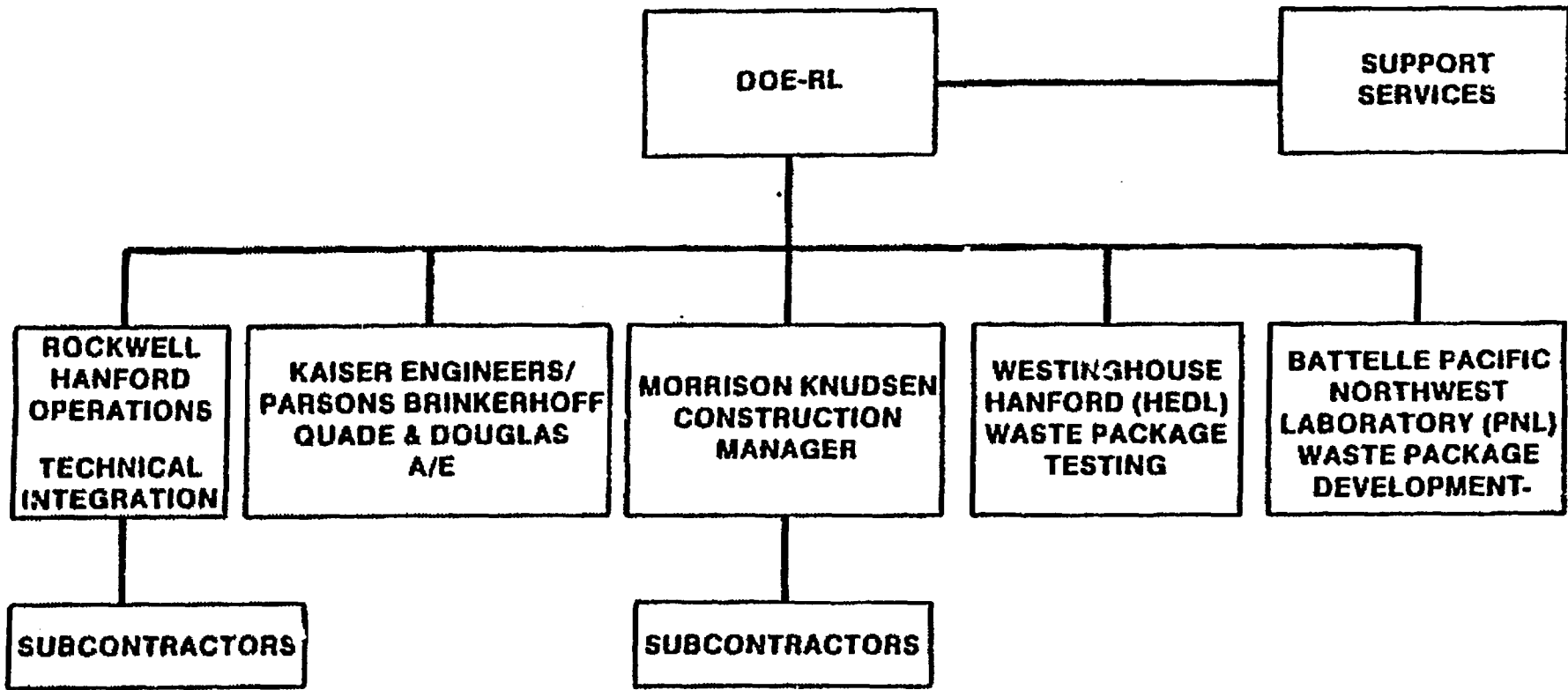
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DIVISION (STD)**

Director - Izatt  
Secretary - Thompson  
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Program Engineer - Goranson  
Program Engineer - Collins  
Traffic Manager - Peterson  
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**OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT MANAGER  
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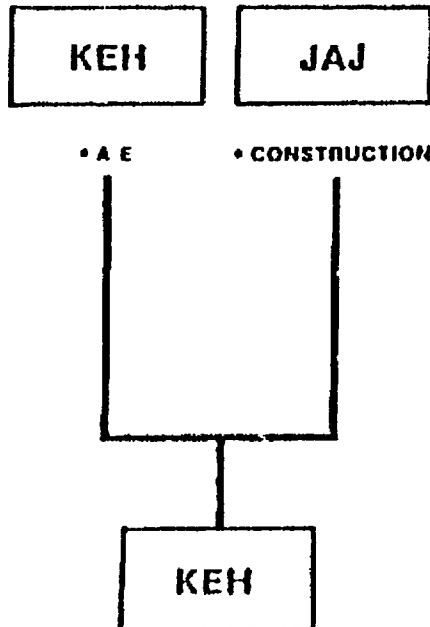


# BWIP MAJOR CONTRACTORS

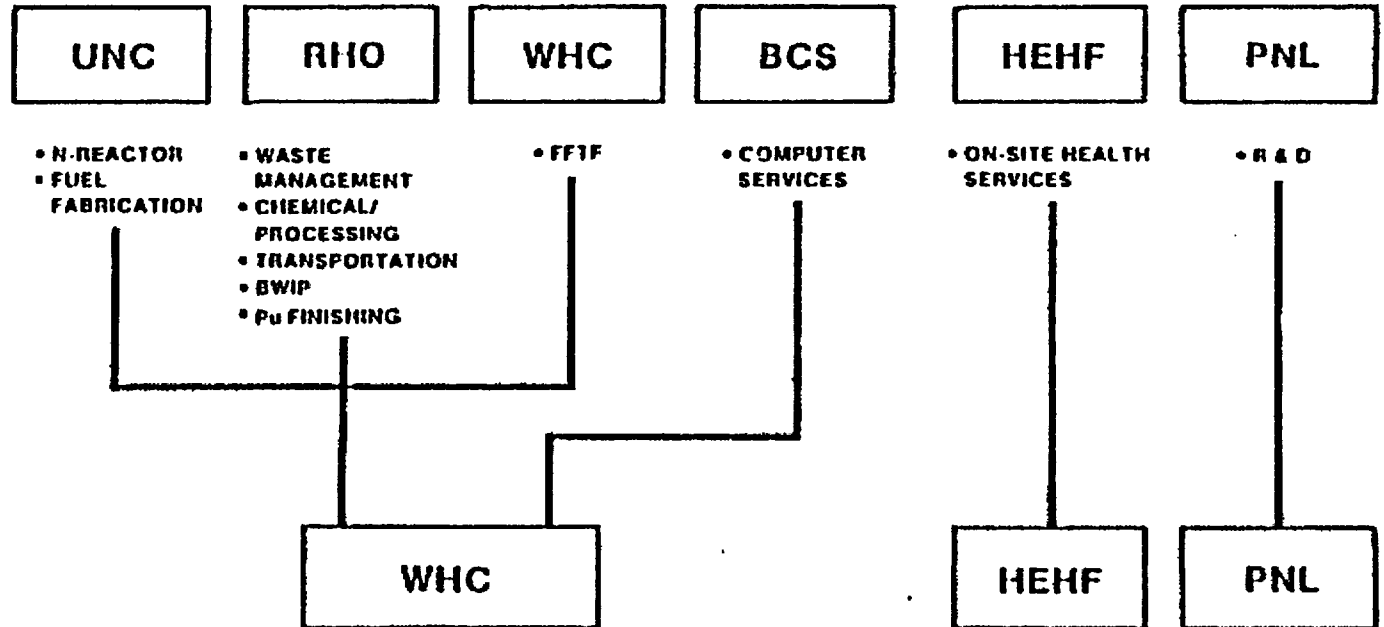


# HANFORD CONTRACTORS

## ENGINEERING & CONSTRUCTION



## OPERATIONS & ENGINEERING



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## **MAJOR TECHNICAL ACTIVITIES**

- **Characterization of basalt site**
  - **Preparation of Site Characterization Plan**
  - **Construction of Exploratory Shaft Facility**
  - **Conduct appropriate test**
- **Waste package technology development and design**
- **Repository design**

## **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

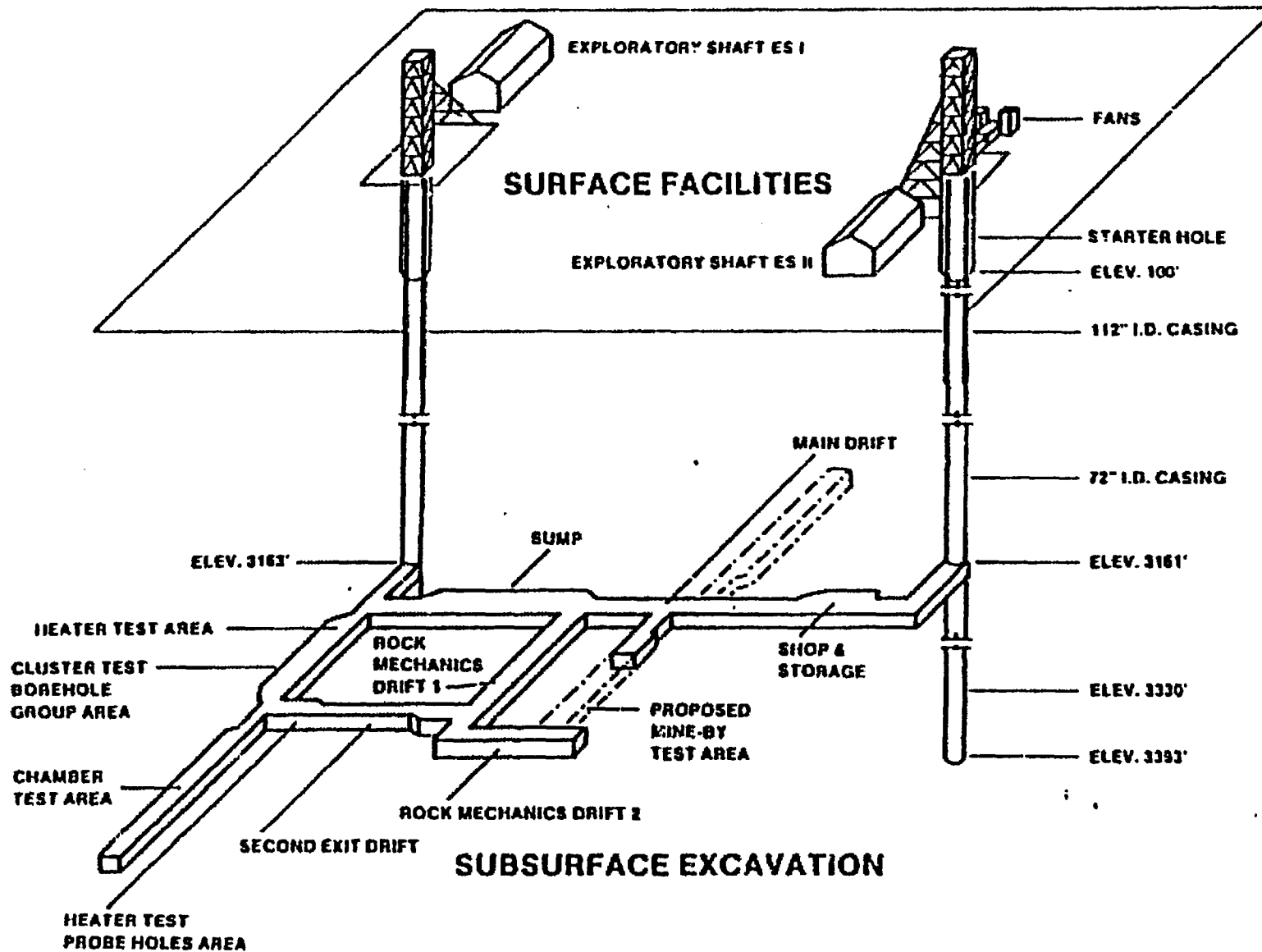
- **QA program**
- **Project management systems**
- **Site relationships**
- **HQ/RL guidance**
- **Outreach and public relations**

**EXPLORATORY SHAFT SCHEDULE**

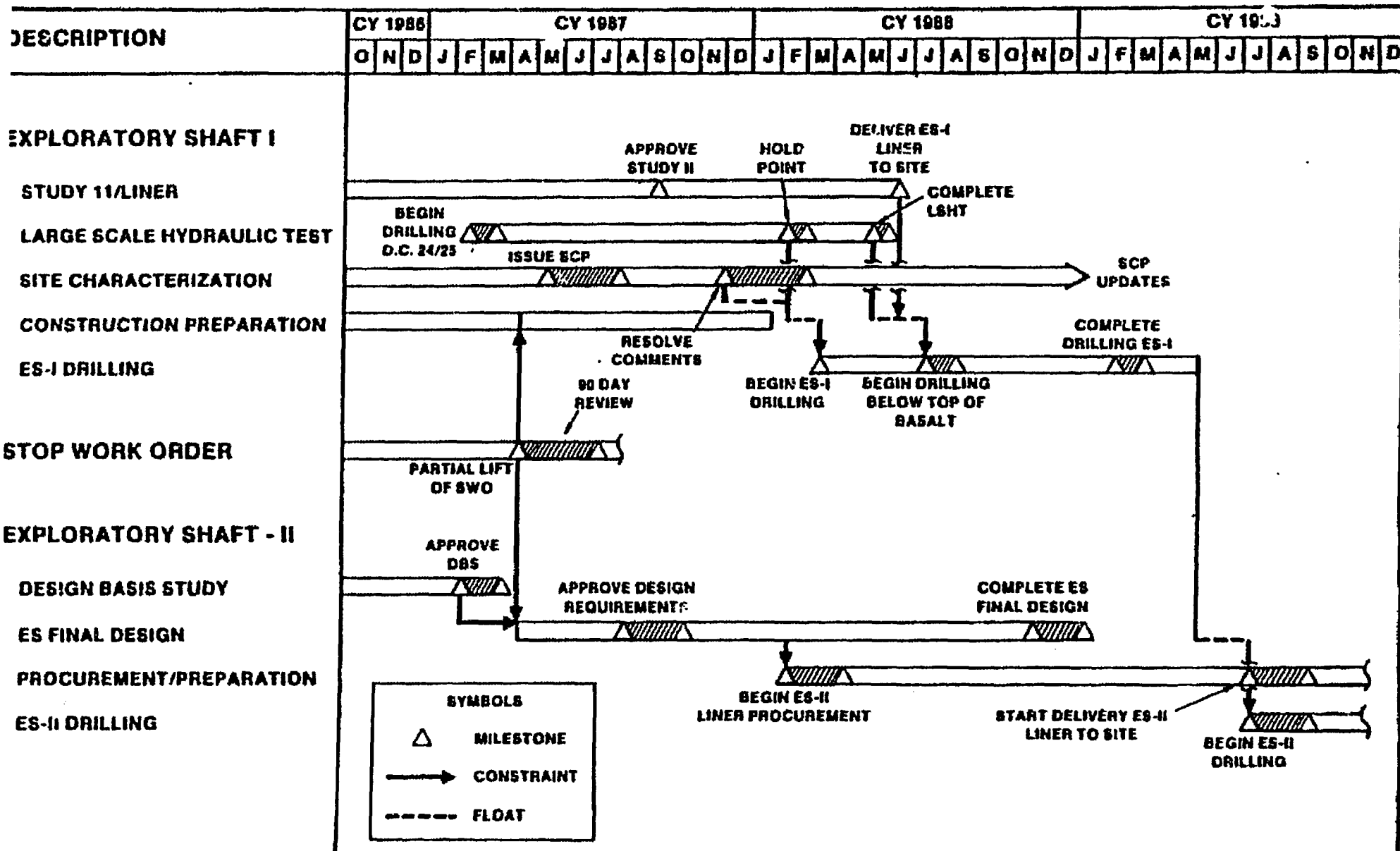
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# FACILITY ISOMETRIC



# EXPLORATORY SHAFT SCHEDULE



**SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN STATUS REPORT**

**J. E. MECCA**

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**



## **DISCUSSION**

- **Control**
- **Documentation**
- **Schedule**
- **Summary**

## **SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN CONTROL**

- **Annotated outline**
- **DP-2.8 documentation preparation procedure**
- **Management plan**
- **HQ/RL guidance**
- **Weekly reports and meetings**

# **CONTROL OF LICENSING DOCUMENTS**

## **(D.P.-2.8)**

- **Purpose - to establish the requirements and responsibilities for the review, approval, and issuance of licensing documents**
- **Defines requirements for review, consistency, references, verification, and changes**
- **Defines responsibilities for the division director, licensing chief, technical branches, and others as appropriate**
- **Provides the procedures to be followed and functions to be fulfilled to carry out the above requirements and execute the responsibilities**
- **For a document as big and as complicated as the SCP, the road map to execute the above is usually expressed in memos, guidance, and management plans**

## **SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN MANAGEMENT PLAN**

- **Plan description**
- **Appendices address**
  - **All relevant procedures (RHO)**
  - **Issue resolution strategies directives**
  - **Description/guidance for assurance review**
  - **Responsibilities and personnel listings**
  - **Headquarters management plan**
  - **Chronology of guidance**
  - **Coordinating group charter and minutes**
  - **Organization charts and flow diagrams**

## **GUIDANCE**

### **1985**

- **5 guidance packages and memos**
- **All HQ to RL to RHO**
- **Content - deals mainly with graded Q-list, administrative records, and SCP annotated outline**

### **1986**

- **56 guidance packages and memos**
- **21 RL to RHO**
- **35 HQ to RL to RHO**
- **Content - deals with all facets of the SCP and specific pieces thereto, such as the CDR's (repository design and waste package) and issue resolution strategies (performance allocation)**
- **Since July 24 alone, 22 HQ guidance packages have had to be dealt with**

## **WEEKLY STATUS REPORTS**

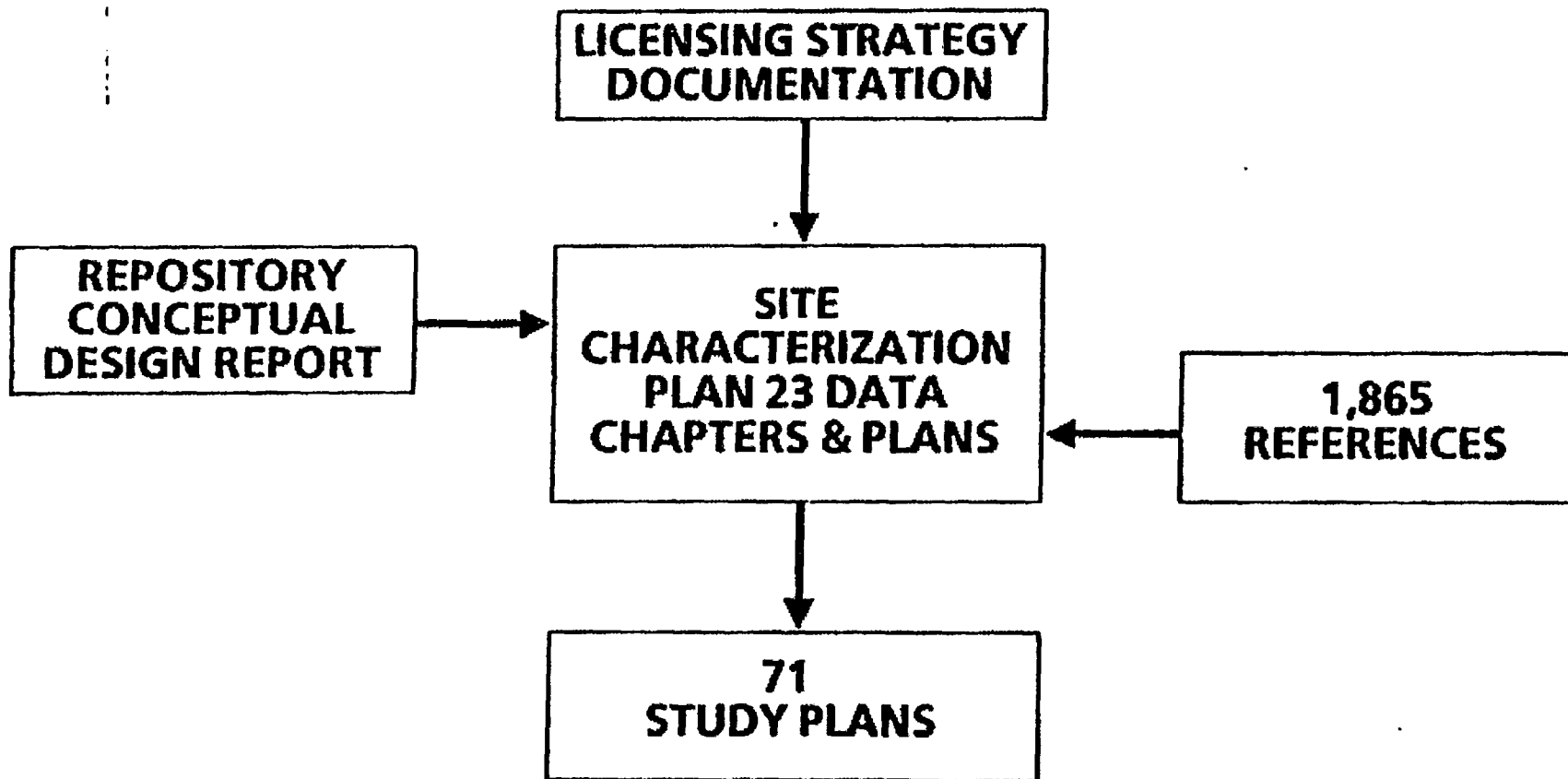
- **Resolution of issues**
- **Production**
- **Reviews**
- **Administrative**
  - **Agreements/guidance**
  - **Schedule shifts**
  - **Problem synopsis**
- **Attachments**
  - **Schedule update**
  - **Restructured review plan**
  - **Comment/resolution meeting minutes**

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# **SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN DOCUMENTATION**

- **Statistics**
- **Status**
  - **Current progress**
  - **Schedule for near-term draft 3 product**
  - **Allocation schedule**
  - **Impact of performance allocation**
  - **Study plans**

# SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN DOCUMENTATION STATISTICS AND STATUS





## **STATUS PROGRESS**

- **All chapters/sections through first reviews (control draft 0 issued)**
- **Chapters/sections reaching DOE-HQ review stage (chapters 1, 2, 4, 5, sections 8.6, 8.7)**
- **Drafts are in a condition such that they could be made available to outside parties upon resolution of draft 2 commentary**

## SCHEDULE

<u>Chapter/section</u>	<u>Length (in pages)</u>	<u>Anticipated completion date</u>
8.6 Quality Assurance	100	12/15/86
8.7 Decontamination and decommissioning	20	12/15/86
4 Geochemistry	300	12/31/86
1 Geology	750	01/15/87
5 Climatology and meteorology	400	01/31/86*
2 Geoengineering	400	01/31/87*

\*Assumes a moderate level of comment incorporation is required.

## SUMMARY OF BWIP SCP SCHEDULE HISTORY

<b><u>Time projection was made</u></b>	<b><u>Projected concurrency date</u></b>	<b><u>Remarks</u></b>
<b>Spring 1986</b>	<b>1/19/87</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Optimistic schedule</b></li><li>● <b>No allowance made for holidays</b></li><li>● <b>Thrust of effort modified by major guidance provided in the May 7-8 meeting with NRC</b></li></ul>
<b>Summer 1986</b>	<b>2/09/87</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Extensive commentary on initial drafts required additional time for comment incorporation</b></li><li>● <b>Implementation of additional guidance required substantial text revisions</b></li></ul>
<b>Winter 1986</b>	<b>6/15/87</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Comment resolution meeting on section 8.2 demonstrated need for additional work on IRS and performance allocation</b></li><li>● <b>Work on 8.3.x sections suspended pending completion of IRS</b></li><li>● <b>Restructuring of review cycle necessary to accommodate chapter reviews in Washington, D.C.</b></li><li>● <b>Waste package strategy revisions require major rewrite of chapter 7 and section 8.3.4</b></li></ul>

# PROPOSED SCHEDULE REVISION 3

CHAPTER/SECTION	JAN				FEB				MAR				APR				MAY				JUN				JUL				
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## **SUMMARY**

- **SCP control is designed to**
  - **Provide the SCP with the proper information and references that fulfill the regulatory requirements**
  - **Provide timely feedback for the solution of problems**
  - **Provide a technically defensible and quality product with the described administrative record**
  
- **SCP schedule**
  - **Evolution, changes, guidance, and other reasons have moved the date for the assembled SCP from January 1, 1987 to April 27, 1987**
  - **Concurrence (camera-ready) copy available by June 15, 1987**
  - **Printed public release copy available by July 17, 1987**

## **SUMMARY (CONT.)**

- **Scope of central activities**
  - **Finalize to the satisfaction of all parties the issue resolution strategies by incorporation of defensible goals, targets, confidence limits, and performance allocations**
  - **Define and justify the hydrology strategy -- including presentation to the NRC technical staff**
  - **Assure incorporation of waste package strategy into the SCP consistent with the revised schedule**
  - **Finalize the design basis study recommendations and reflect in the SCP as appropriate**

# **BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT PHILOSOPHY ON IMPLEMENTING THE SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN**

- **SCP required per the Nuclear Waste Policy Act**
- **Issue of the SCP to states, tribes, the NRC, and others for information as soon as possible**
- **Issue of the SCP to states, tribes, the NRC, and others for review and comment**
- **Discussion of the SCP and comments to be received through technical reviews and written comments by public interactions such as hearings, and possible NRC workshops**
- **Comments received may be incorporated by changed pages, by a comment/resolution appendix, or other method**

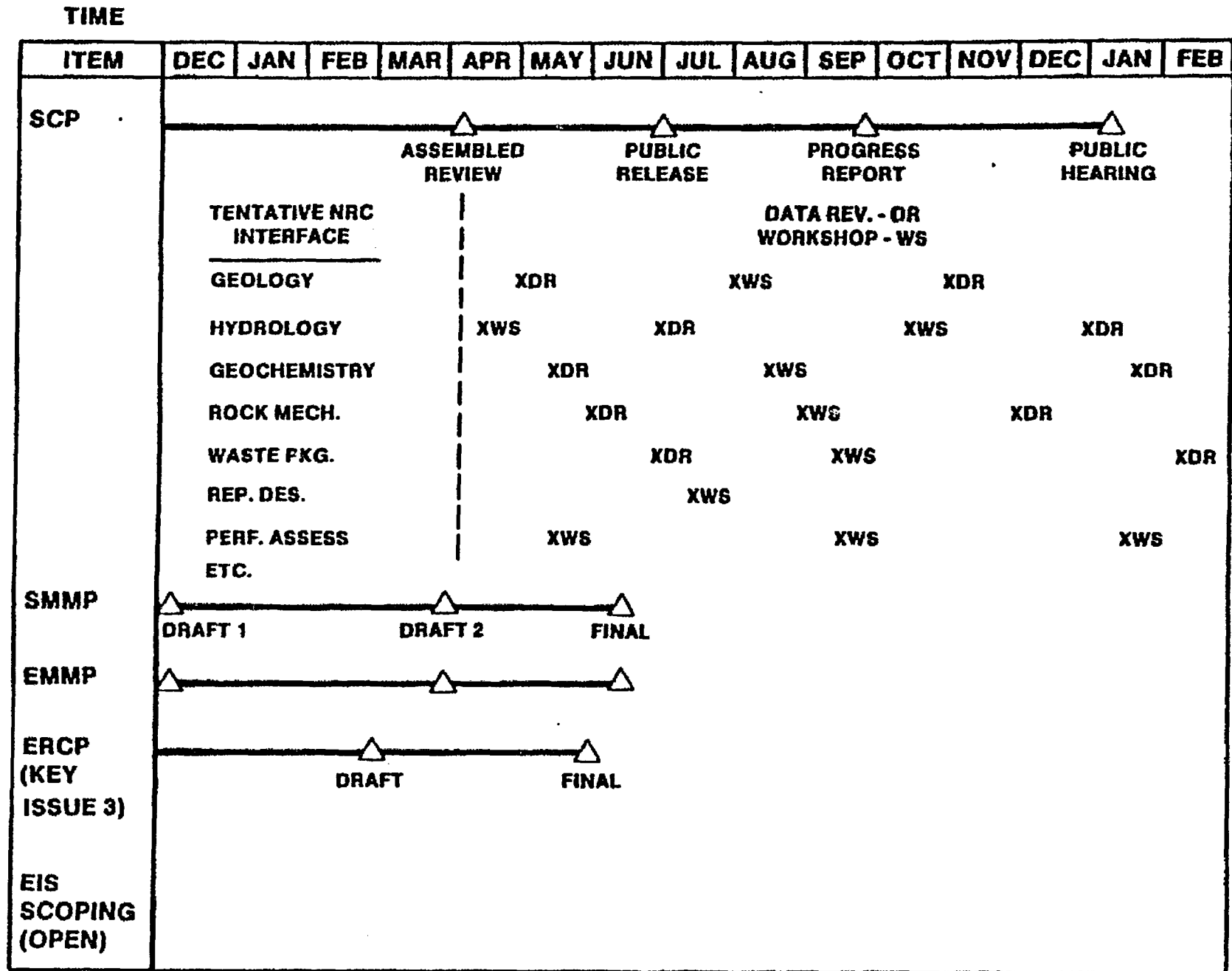
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## **BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT PHILOSOPHY ON IMPLEMENTING THE SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN (CONT.)**

- **Detailed site characterization activities will include**
  - **Exploratory Shaft construction and testing**
  - **Repository licensing application design**
  - **Waste package waste/rock/water interaction hot cell testing**
  - **Continued geology/hydrology field and laboratory testing**
  - **Continued investigation of thermomechanical rock properties and seismic monitoring**
  - **Others**



# TENTATIVE LICENSING SCHEDULE



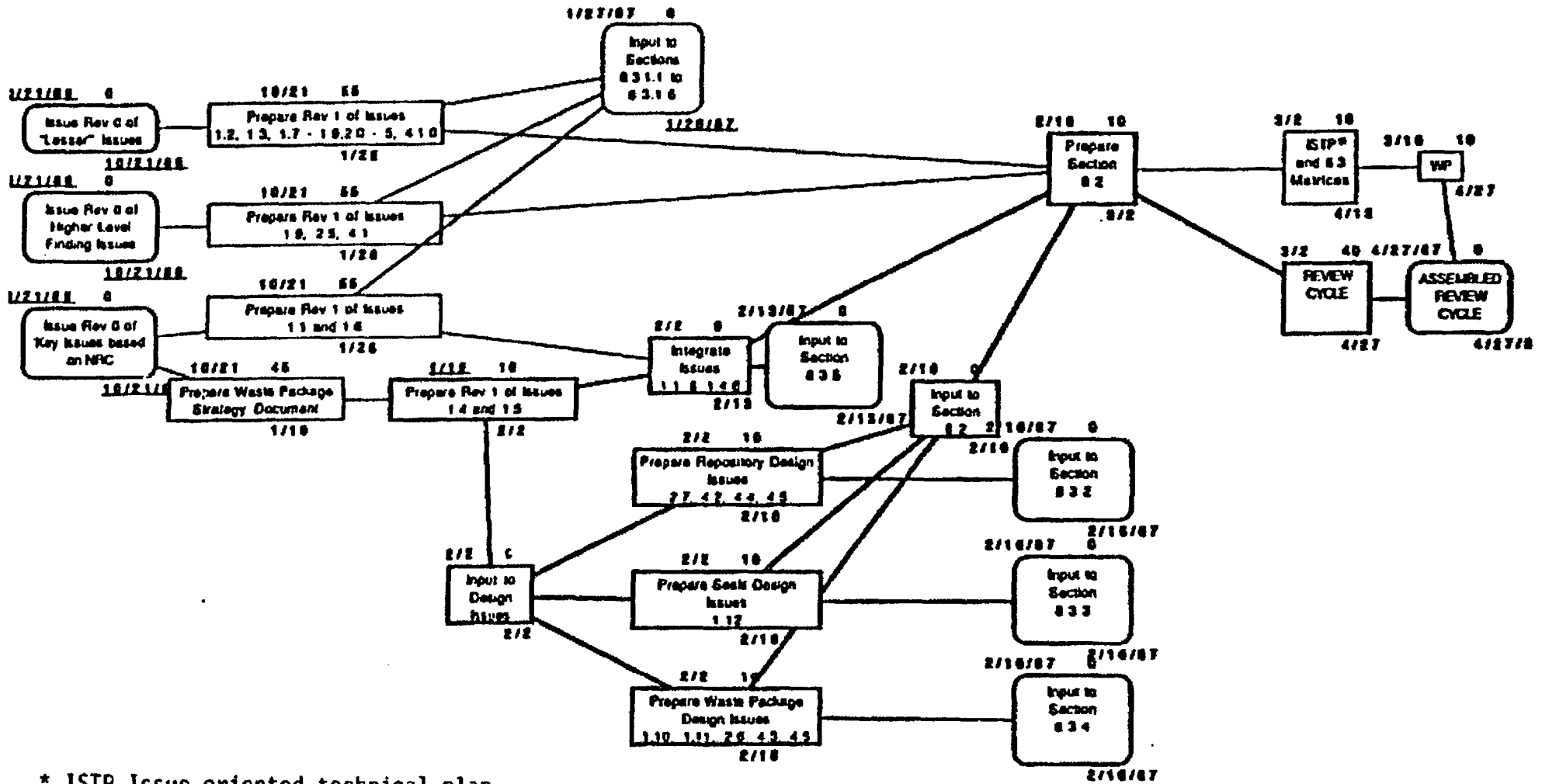
**SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN  
STATUS OF ISSUE RESOLUTION PROCESS**

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**SCHEDULE FOR  
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AND PROVISION OF INPUT TO  
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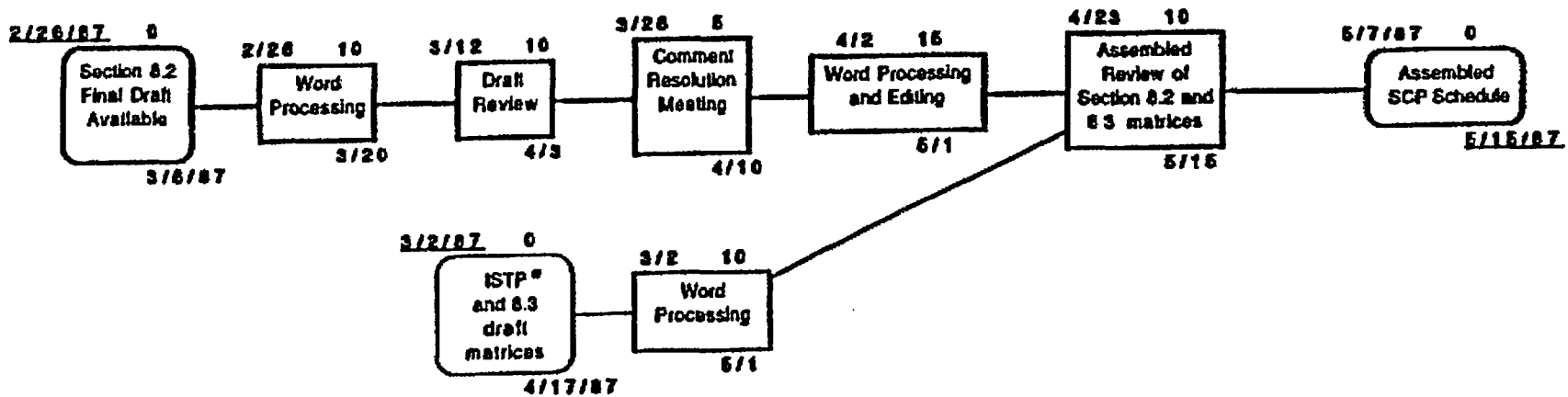
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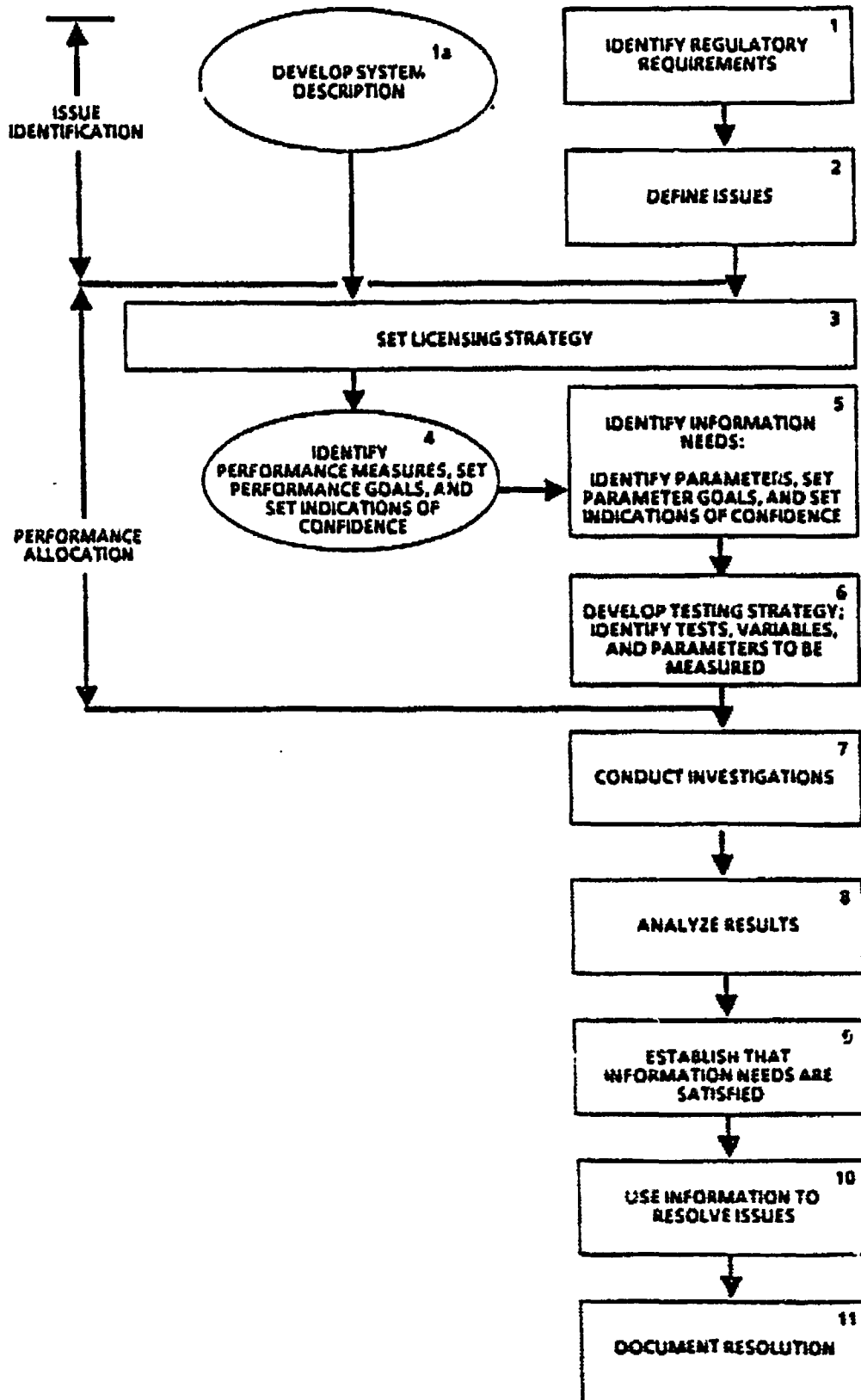
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# ISSUE RESOLUTION STRATEGIES



# BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT ISSUE RESOLUTION STRATEGIES PRODUCTION STATUS AS OF 12/31/86

Issue Number	Issue strategy short title	Estimated % Complete
1.1	Cumulative release to the accessible environment	80%
1.2	Individual protection	30%
1.3	Groundwater protection	10%
1.4	Container life	•
1.5	Radionuclide release rate limits	•
1.6	Prewaste emplacement groundwater travel time	80%
1.7	Performance confirmation	10%
1.8	U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission favorable and adverse conditions	•
1.9.0	U.S. Department of Energy postclosure site comparisons	30%
1.9.1	Postclosure geohydrology	30%
1.9.2	Postclosure geochemistry	80%
1.9.3	Postclosure rock characteristics	90%
1.9.4	Postclosure climatology	40%
1.9.5	Postclosure erosion	30%
1.9.6	Postclosure dissolution	10%
1.9.7	Postclosure tectonics	85%
1.9.8	Postclosure human interference	20%
2.1	Radiological safety of the public	10%
2.2	Radiological safety of the workers	•
2.4	Waste retrieval	•
2.5.0	U.S. Department of Energy preclosure radiological comparisons	•
2.5.1	Population density and distribution	•
2.5	Site ownership and control	•
2.5.3	Meteorology	•
2.5.4	Offsite installations and operations	•
4.1.0	U.S. Department of Energy preclosure site and engineering comparisons	75%
4.1.1	Ease and cost of construction	•
4.1.2	Surface characteristics	10%
4.1.3	Preclosure rock characteristics	•
4.1.4	Preclosure hydrology	•
4.1.5	Preclosure tectonics	•

\*Exempted till 2.1 and 4.1.2 formats are agreed upon.

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**SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN**  
**INVESTIGATIONS AND STUDY PLANS**

**T. A. CURRAN**

**ROCKWELL HANFORD OPERATIONS**

## **SECTION 8.3 TEST PLANNING**

**\*8.3.1 Site**

**\*8.3.2 Repository**

**\*8.3.3 Seals**

**\*8.3.4 Waste Package**

**8.3.5 Performance Assessment**

**\*SCP sections that include investigations/studies**



# SCP TEST PROGRAM HIERARCHY

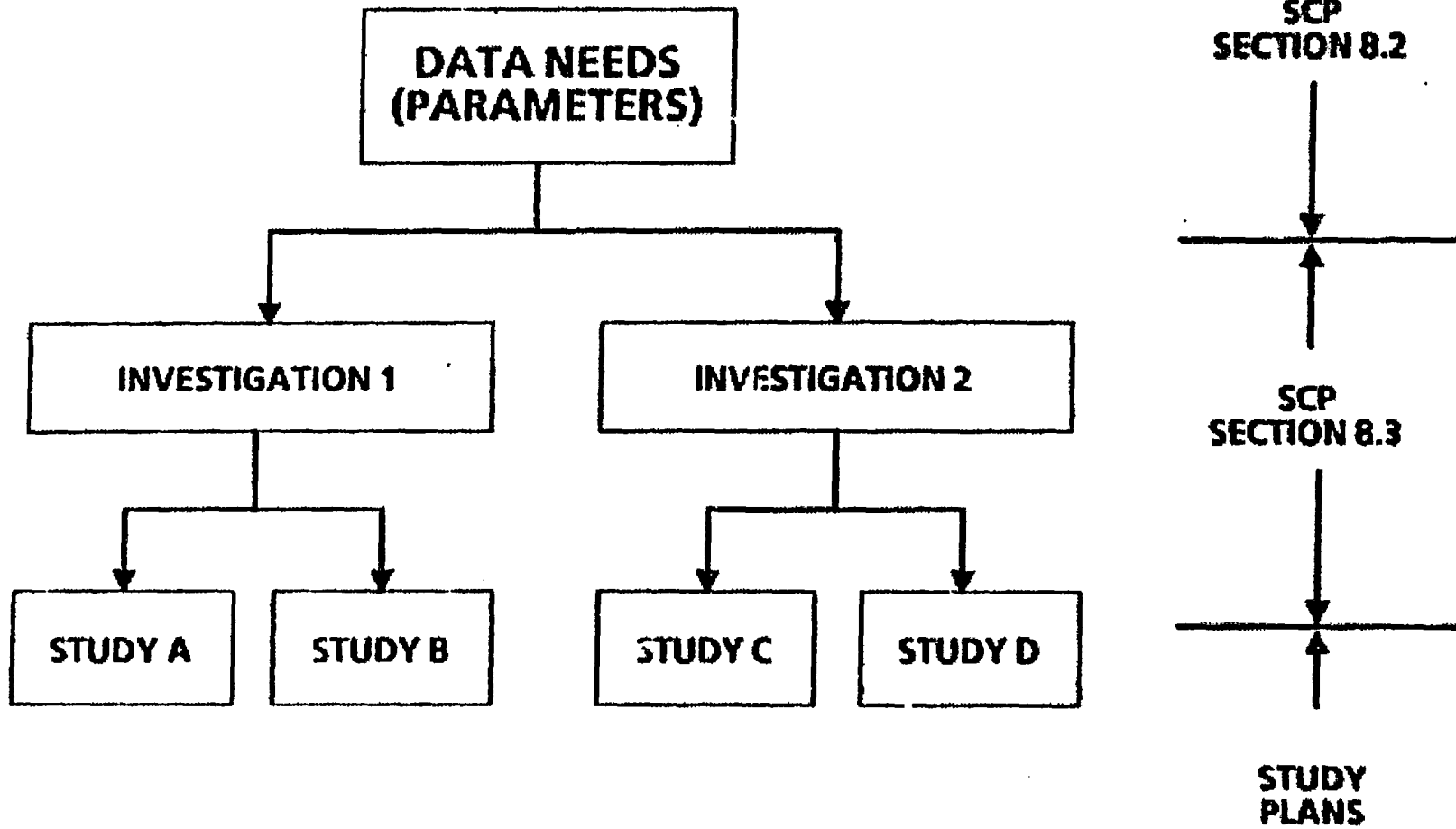
<u>Hierarchical Terms</u>	<u>Level of Detail</u>	<u>Planning Document</u>
Program (generic)		
Program (specific)	Higher level	Site Characterization Plan
Investigation		
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Study		Study plans
Test analysis	Lower level	Test procedure
Procedure		

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## **EXAMPLE OF SITE CHARACTERIZATION ELEMENTS**

<b>Site program (generic)</b>	<b>Program</b>
<b>Geology program (specific)</b>	<b>Program</b>
<b>Stratigraphic and structural model development</b>	<b>Investigation</b>
<b>Structural geology</b>	<b>Study</b>
<b>Outcrop mapping of Rattlesnake Hills</b>	<b>Test</b>
<b>Geologic mapping technical procedure</b>	<b>Procedure</b>

# DERIVATION OF INVESTIGATIONS/STUDIES



## **SECTION 8.3.1 SITE**

### **8.3.1.2 GEOLOGY**

#### **Stratigraphic and Structural Model Development**

- **Stratigraphy**
- **Structural geology**
- **Intraflow structures**
- **Cooling joint characteristics**

#### **Mineralogic and Petrologic Characterization**

- **Mineralogic and petrologic characterization**

#### **Tectonic Events and Processes**

- **Deformation**
- **Earthquake seismology**
- **Tectonic model development**

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## **SECTION 8.3.1 SITE (cont.)**

### **8.3.1.3 HYDROLOGY**

#### **Surface Water Investigation**

- **Surface water system**
- **Site flooding**

#### **Groundwater Investigation**

- **Regional groundwater**
- **Site groundwater**

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## **SECTION 8.3.1 SITE (cont.)**

### **8.3.1.4 GEOCHEMISTRY**

#### **Hydrochemistry**

- **Groundwater flow system hydrochemistry**
- **Groundwater redox**

#### **Radionuclide Retardation**

- **Radionuclide reactivity**

### **8.3.1.5 CLIMATOLOGY**

#### **Paleoclimate**

- **Paleoclimate**

#### **Future Climate**

- **Future climate**

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## **SECTION 8.3.1 SITE (cont.)**

### **8.3.1.6 RESOURCE POTENTIAL**

**Mineral, hydrocarbon, and geothermal resource potential**

- **Mineral, hydrocarbon, and geothermal resource potential**

**Water Resource Potential**

- **Water resource potential**

## **SECTION 8.3.2 REPOSITORY**

### **8.3.2.2 VERIFICATION OF MEASUREMENT OF HOST ROCK ENVIRONMENT**

#### **Geomechanical Characteristics of the Host Rock**

- **In situ stress determination**
- **Thermal/thermomechanical properties determinations**
- **Mechanical properties determinations**
- **Evaluation of opening performance stability**



## **SECTION 8.3.2 REPOSITORY (cont.)**

### **8.3.2.3 COUPLED INTERACTION TESTS**

#### **Two-Fold Interactions in Repository Program**

- **Hydromechanical interactions**

#### **Three- and Four- Fold Interactions in Repository Program**

- **Thermomechanical-chemical interactions**
- **Thermohydromechanical interactions**
- **Thermohydromechanical-chemical interactions**

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## **SECTION 8.3.2 REPOSITORY (cont.)**

### **8.3.2.5 REPOSITORY MODELING**

#### **Constitutive Modeling**

- **Constitutive model development**
- **Constitutive model validation**

## **SECTION 8.3.3 SEALS**

### **8.3.3.3 SEALS SUBSYSTEM COMPONENT AND INTERACTIONS TESTING**

#### **Laboratory Testing For Seals Materials Properties and Interactions**

- **Optimization of reference seals materials**
- **Effects of elevated temperatures on physical properties of reference seals materials**
- **Long-term stability of reference seals materials**
- **Exploratory Shaft grout development**
- **Characterization of reference seals materials**
- **Interface properties of reference seals materials**

### **8.3.3.3 SEALS SUBSYSTEM COMPONENT AND INTERACTIONS TESTING (cont.)**

#### **Field Testing For Seals Materials Properties and Demonstration of Emplacement Methods**

- **Demonstration of subsurface borehole seals installation**
- **Demonstration of drift seals installation**

### **8.3.3.3 SEALS SUBSYSTEM COMPONENT AND INTERACTIONS TESTING (cont.)**

#### **In Situ Testing for Verification of Seals Properties and Emplacement Methods**

- **Demonstration of subsurface borehole seals performance**
- **Demonstration of surface borehole seals installation and performance**
- **Demonstration of drift seals performance**
- **Demonstration of shaft seals installation and performance**
- **Characterization of the damaged rock zone sealing**
- **Characterization of emplaced shaft liner grout**

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## **SECTION 8.3.4 WASTE PACKAGE**

### **8.3.4.2 WASTE PACKAGE ENVIRONMENT**

#### **Postemplacement Environment Characterization**

- **Waste package environment: Basalt/  
groundwater interactions**
- **Waste package environment: Geochemical  
environment analysis**

#### **Natural Analogs and Metallic Artifacts**

- **Waste package natural analogs**
- **Waste package metallic artifacts**

## **SECTION 8.3.4 WASTE PACKAGE (cont.)**

### **8.3.4.3 WASTE PACKAGE COMPONENTS AND INTERACTION TESTING**

#### **Waste Forms**

- **Waste form test materials**
- **Waste form/filler materials interactions**
- **Waste acceptance specifications**

### **8.3.4.3 WASTE PACKAGE COMPONENTS AND INTERACTION TESTING (cont.)**

#### **Container Materials Testing**

- **Container materials testing: General corrosion**
- **Container materials testing: Pitting corrosion**
- **Container materials testing: Crevice corrosion**
- **Container materials testing: Environmentally assisted cracking**
- **Container materials testing: Mechanical and physical properties**



### **8.3.4.3 WASTE PACKAGE COMPONENTS AND INTERACTION TESTING (cont.)**

#### **Packing Materials Testing**

- **Packing materials testing: Chemical stability**
- **Packing materials testing: Physical properties and processes**

#### **Waste Package Radionuclide Behavior**

- **Radionuclide solubility/sorption and specification behavior**
- **Waste/barrier/rock interactions: Spent fuel release testing**
- **Waste/barrier/rock interactions: Borosilicate glass release**
- **Waste/barrier/rock interactions: Other waste forms testing**

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## **SECTION 8.3.4 WASTE PACKAGE (cont.)**

### **8.3.4.4 WASTE PACKAGE DESIGN DEVELOPMENT**

#### **Container Development**

- **Pressure vessel container development**
- **Monolith container development**
- **Container handling and safety testing**

#### **Packing Development**

- **Packing fabrication**
- **Packing nondestructive examination**
- **Packing, handling, and emplacement**

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#### **8.3.4.4 WASTE PACKAGE DESIGN DEVELOPMENT (cont.)**

##### **Qualification Testing**

- **Container corrosion qualification test**
- **Packing saturation qualification test**
- **Container settlement test**
- **Waste package in situ test**

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## **Study Plan Summary**

<b>Total study plans identified</b>	<b>71</b>
<b>To be completed before or with the SCP</b>	<b>53</b>
<b>To be completed after the SCP</b>	<b>18</b>

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**GEOSCIENCES ACTIVITIES UPDATE**

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## **GENERAL GEOSCIENCES ACTIVITIES**

- **SCP data chapters prepared (information copies)**
- **Issue resolution strategies prepared**
- **SCP planning chapters prepared**
- **Study Plans prepared**
- **Restart activities conducted**

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## **GENERAL STOP WORK ORDER**

- **General stop work order issued May 1986**
- **Work in all but 6 exempted categories stopped**
  - **Monitoring**
  - **BWIP management or QA systems upgrade**
  - **Safety or maintenance programs supporting activities**
  - **Administrative activities**
  - **SCP activities**
  - **Other essential activities**

# **GEOLOGY**

- **Document preparation and presentations**
  - **Geostatistical estimation of elevations within Cohasset Flow, RRL, being prepared**
  - **Interpretation of magnetotelluric data, Rattlesnake Mountain, Pasco Basin, being prepared**
  - **Seismic velocity structure in RRL from seismic refraction and vertical seismic profiling being prepared**
  - **Gravity and ground magnetics in the CASZ being prepared**
  - **Poster session on Iceland analog studies presented at Annual Geological Society of America Meeting**
  - **Magnetic properties paper presented at American Geophysical Union Meeting**
- **Seismic monitoring**
  - **Field calibration of BWIP seismic network completed**
  - **Seismic monitoring data collection continued**
  - **Meeting with UW held to discuss annual regional seismic surveillance report**



# **HYDROLOGY**

- **Hydrology**
  - **Hydrology characterization strategy developed**
  - **Boreholes DC-24, -25 expedited special case report being prepared**
  - **Data base development continued**
  - **NRC data review held**
  - **Groundwater monitoring continued**
- **Hydrochemistry**
  - **Water sampling and chemical analyses in boreholes DC-23, DC-18 completed (through Wanapum Basalt)**
  - **NRC data review supported**
  - **Document preparation and presentations**
    - **Reactive tracer strategy document issued**
    - **Groundwater methane report completed**
    - **3 papers presented at American Chemical Society Meeting in Anaheim**
    - **Borehole tracer paper presented at Annual Geological Society of America Meeting**

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## **GEOENGINEERING**

- **Review meeting with National Academy of Sciences/  
National Research Council held**
- **Calibration work on thermal property testing apparatus  
performed**

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## **CLIMATOLOGY**

- **Quality Assurance plans and procedures for local climate modeling and fossil pollen (palynology) studies developed**

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## **GEOCHEMISTRY**

- **Redox testing continued**
- **Radiolysis testing continued**

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## **SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN DATA CHAPTERS**

- **Chapter 1 Geology--S. M. Price**
- **Chapter 2 Geoengineering--K. Kim**
- **Chapter 3 Hydrology--S.M. Baker**
- **Chapter 4 Geochemistry--M.J. Furman**
- **Chapter 5 Climatology and  
Meteorology--K. R. Simpson**

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**SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN DATA CHAPTERS**

**CHAPTER 1 GEOLOGY**

**S. M. PRICE**

**ROCKWELL HANFORD OPERATIONS**

## **OBJECTIVES**

- **Develop stratigraphic and structural models for site**
  - **Support quantification of groundwater flow system**
  - **Provide basis for repository design**
- **Identify distribution of mineralogy and chemical composition**
  - **Support radionuclide migration models**
  - **Stratigraphic correlation**
- **Assess changes that may alter site performance**
  - **Geologic processes**
  - **Man-induced changes (resource potential)**

# **CHAPTER 1 GEOLOGY**

- 1.0 Introduction**
- 1.1 Geomorphology**
- 1.2 Stratigraphy and lithology**
- 1.3 Structural geology and tectonics of the candidate area and site**
- 1.4 Seismology of the candidate area and site**
- 1.5 Long-term regional stability with respect to tectonic and geologic processes**
- 1.6 Drilling and mining**
- 1.7 Mineral and hydrocarbon resources**
- 1.8 Summary**



# **GEOLOGY INVESTIGATIONS AND STUDY PLANS**

## **Stratigraphic and Structural Model Development**

- **Stratigraphy**
- **Structural geology**
- **Intraflow structures**
- **Cooling joint characteristics**

## **Mineralogic and Petrologic Characterization**

- **Mineralogic and petrologic characterization**

## **Tectonic Events and Processes**

- **Deformation**
- **Earthquake seismology**
- **Tectonic model development**

## **Mineral, Hydrocarbon, and Geothermal Resource Potential**

- **Mineral, hydrocarbon, and geothermal resource potential**
- **Site groundwater**

**SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN DATA CHAPTERS**

**CHAPTER 2 GEOENGINEERING**

**K. KIM**

**ROCKWELL HANFORD OPERATIONS**

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## **OBJECTIVES**

- **Provide a compilation of geoengineering data available to date**
- **Present conceptual rock mass models by current data**
- **Define data uncertainties to identify further information needs**

# **CHAPTER 2 GEOENGINEERING**

**2.0 Introduction**

**2.1 Mechanical properties of intact basalt**

**2.2 Mechanical properties of joint**

**2.3 Mechanical properties of rock mass**

**2.4 Thermal properties of intact basalt**

**2.5 Thermal properties of rock mass**

**2.6 Existing stress regime**

**2.7 Special geoengineering properties**

**2.8 Excavation characteristics**

**2.9 Summary**

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## **GEOENGINEERING INVESTIGATIONS AND STUDY PLANS**

- **Constitutive model development**
- **In situ stress characterization**
- **Mechanical properties**
- **Thermal/thermomechanical properties**
- **Opening performance observation**
- **Coupled effect**

**SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN DATA CHAPTERS**

**CHAPTER 3 HYDROLOGY**

**S. M. BAKER**

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## **OBJECTIVES**

- **Develop groundwater flow models of site and region**
  - **Determine spatial distributions of hydraulic and hydrochemical properties**
  - **Determine future natural and man-induced stresses on flow system**
  - **Develop analytical methods**
  - **Develop conceptual models**
  - **Assess flow system dynamics, groundwater travel times, radionuclide transport**
  - **Provide input to exploratory shaft, repository, waste package, and seal designs**
- **Evaluate surface hydrology of site and region**
  - **Quantify flash flood potential**
  - **Assess surface and groundwater fluid exchange**
  - **Provide input to conceptual models and surface facility designs**

## **CHAPTER 3 HYDROLOGY**

- 3.0 Introduction**
- 3.1 Description of surface hydrology**
- 3.2 Floods**
- 3.3 Locations and distances to points of surface-water use**
- 3.4 Chemical composition of adjacent water courses**
- 3.5 Points of groundwater discharge**
- 3.6 Regional hydrologic reconnaissance of candidate area and site**
- 3.7 Regional groundwater flow system**
- 3.8 Groundwater uses**
- 3.9 Site hydrogeologic system**
- 3.10 Summary**



# **HYDROLOGY INVESTIGATIONS AND STUDY PLANS**

## **Surface Water Investigation**

- **Surface water system**
- **Site flooding**

## **Groundwater Investigation**

- **Regional groundwater**
- **Site groundwater**

## **Groundwater Hydrochemistry Investigation**

- **Groundwater flow system  
hydrochemistry**

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**SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN DATA CHAPTERS**

**CHAPTER 4 GEOCHEMISTRY**

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## **OBJECTIVE**

**Provide a compilation of presently understood  
geochemical information of the natural system**

## **CHAPTER 4 GEOCHEMISTRY**

- 4.0 Introduction**
- 4.1 Geochemistry of the host rock and surrounding units**
- 4.2 Geochemical effects of waste emplacement**
- 4.3 Natural analogs and related field tests**
- 4.4 Geochemical stability**
- 4.5 Summary**

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## **GEOCHEMISTRY STUDY PLANS**

- **Mineralogic and petrologic characterization**
- **Groundwater flow system hydrochemistry**
- **Groundwater redox**
- **Radionuclide reactivity**

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**SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN DATA CHAPTERS**

**CHAPTER 5 CLIMATOLOGY AND METEOROLOGY**

**K. R. SIMPSON**

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## **OBJECTIVES**

- **Identify and evaluate climatic change scenarios that may affect repository performance and groundwater recharge**
- **Satisfy requirements of the DOE in 10 CFR 960, the NRC in 10 CFR 60, and the EPA in 40 CFR 191**

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# **CHAPTER 5 CLIMATOLOGY AND METEOROLOGY**

## **5.1 Recent climate meteorology**

## **5.2 Long-term climatic assessment**

### **5.2.1 Paleoclimatology**

### **5.2.2 Future climatic variation**

### **5.2.3 Site paleoclimatic investigation**

## **5.3 Summary of climatology and meteorology**



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# **CLIMATOLOGY INVESTIGATIONS AND STUDY PLANS**

## **Paleoclimate investigation**

- **Paleoclimate**

## **Future climate investigation**

- **Future climate**

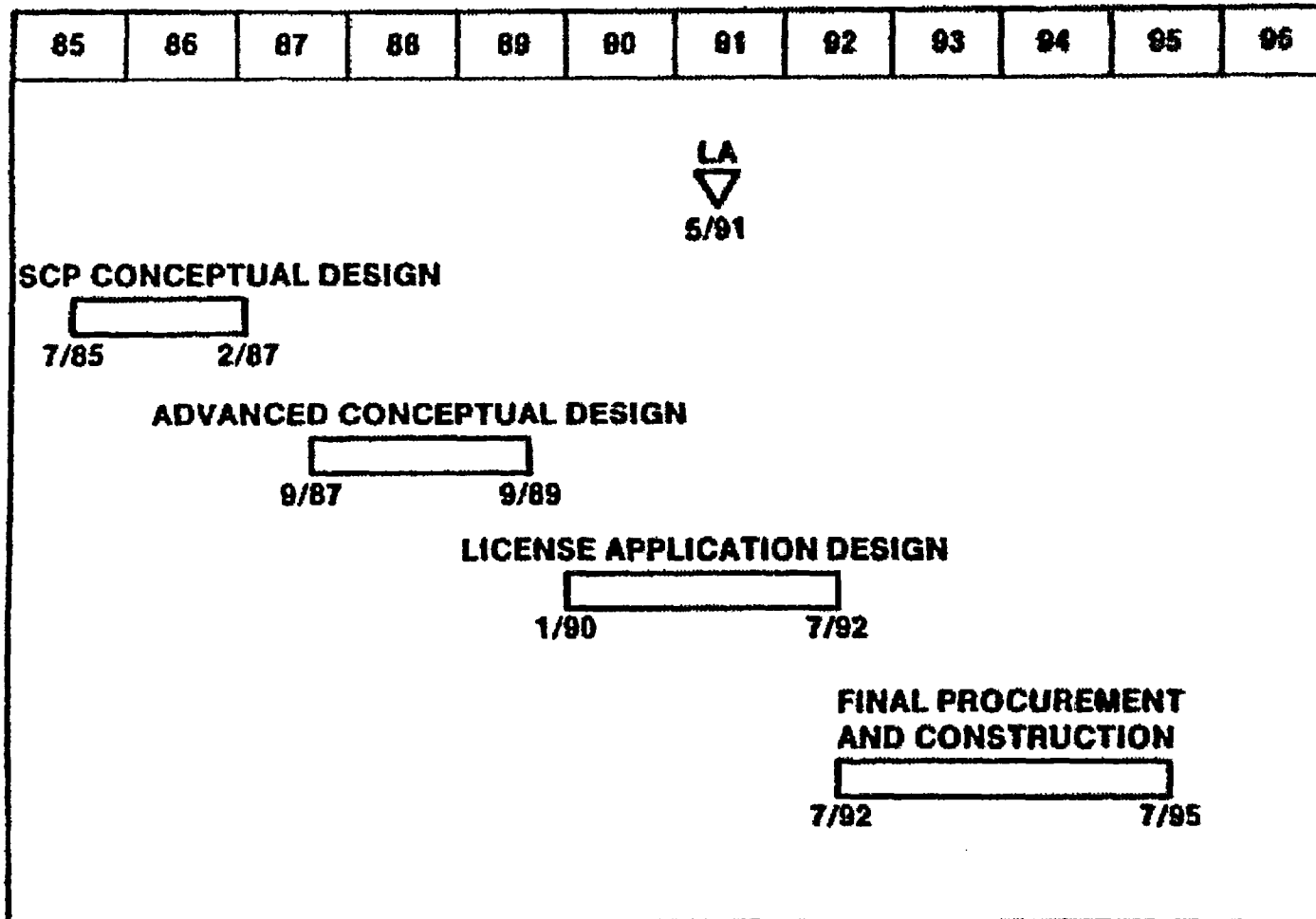
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**REPOSITORY CONCEPTUAL DESIGN REPORT**

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# REPOSITORY DESIGN SCHEDULE\*

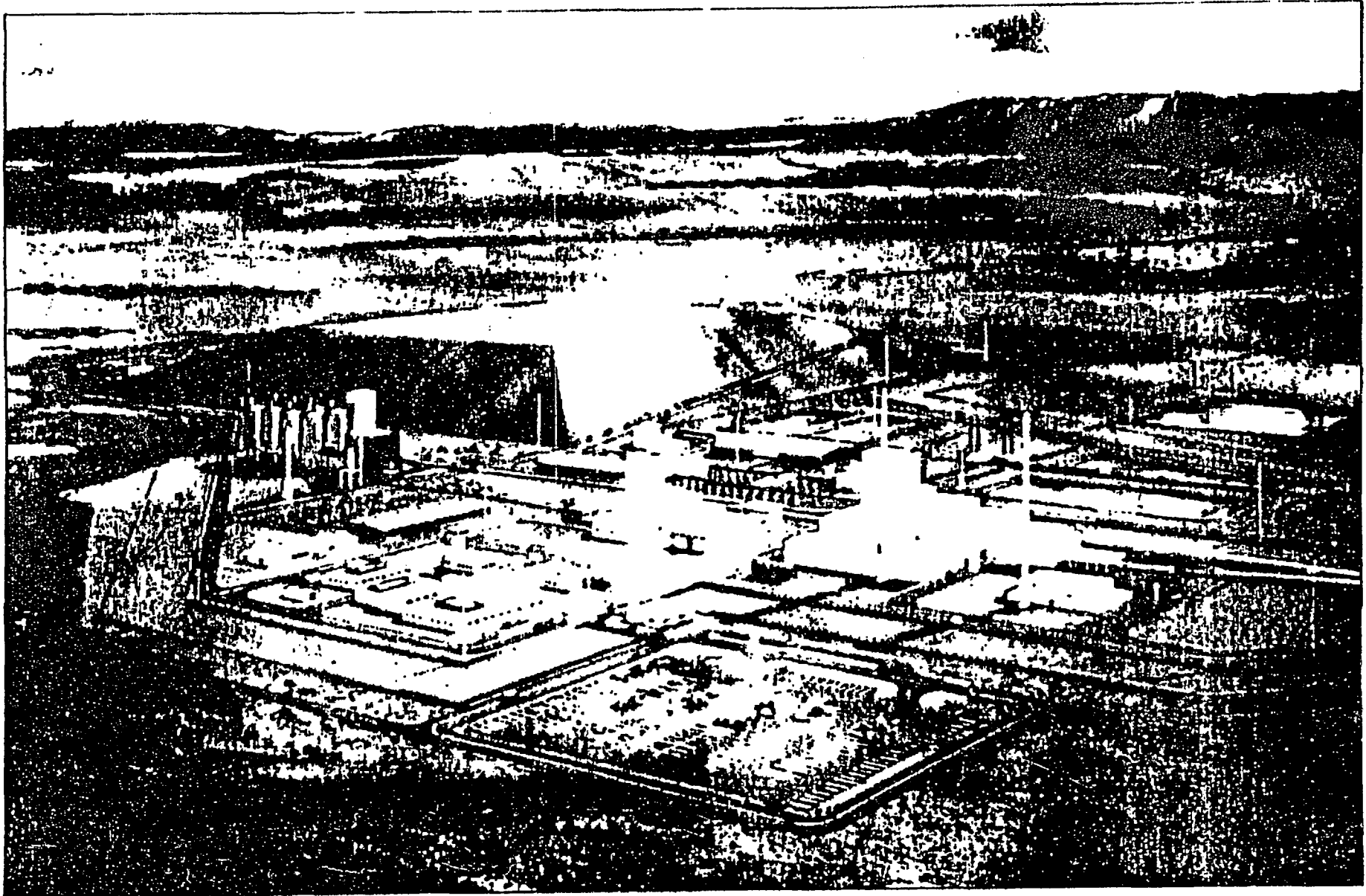


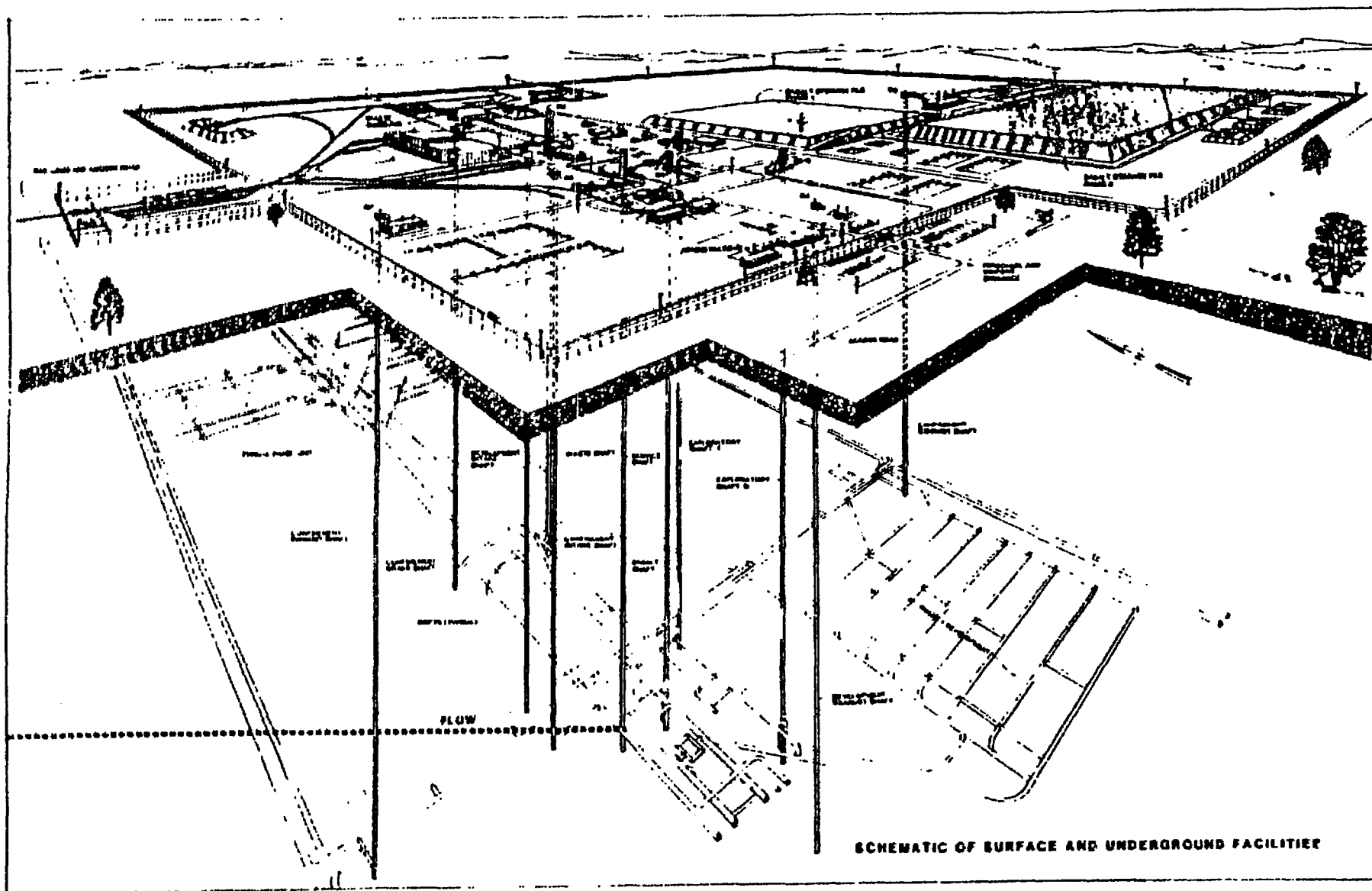
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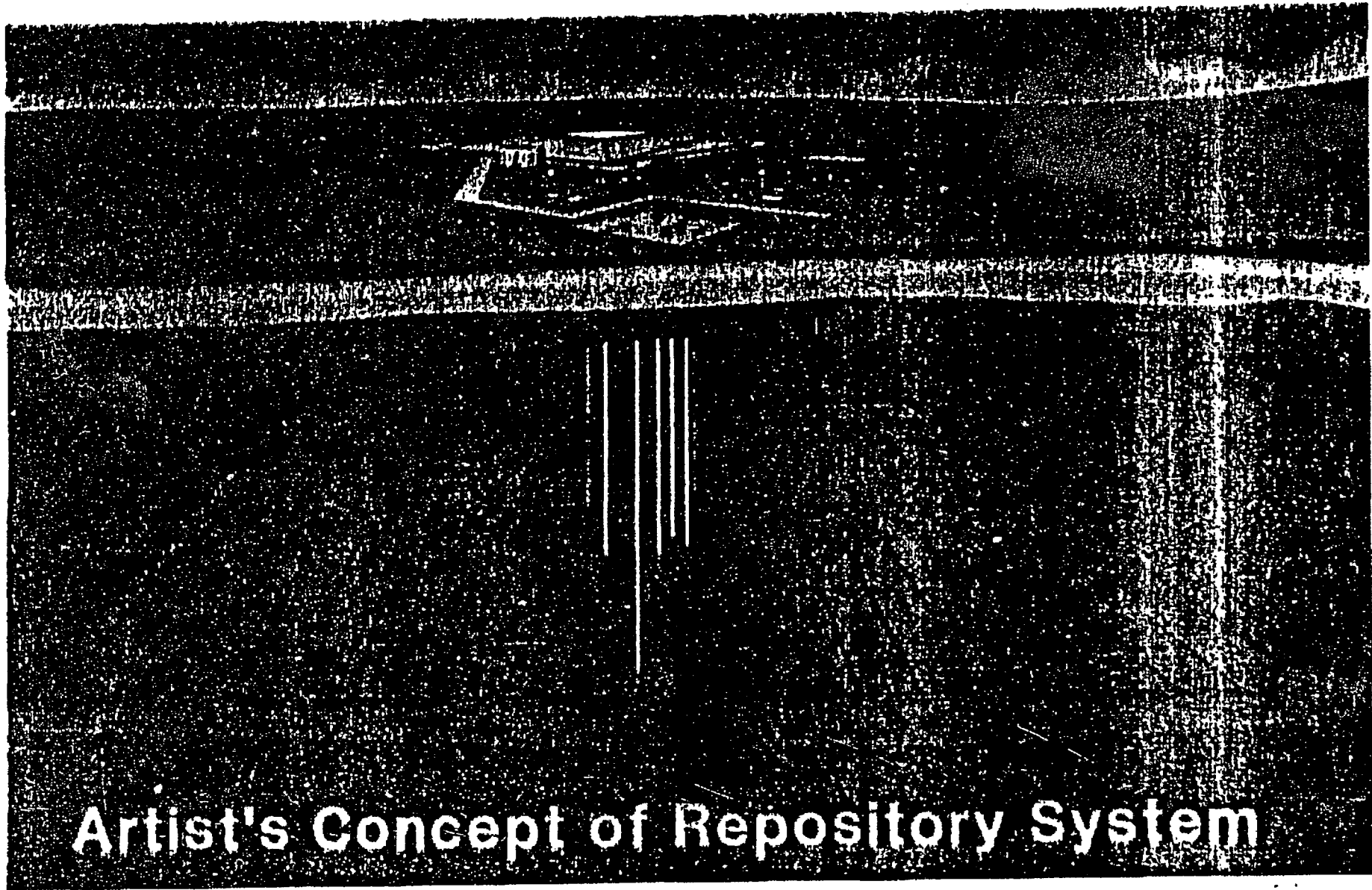
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### **Repository design**

- **Conceptual system design description**
  - **47,000 MTHM**
  - **Long horizontal boreholes**
  - **Spent fuel**
- **Engineering studies**
  - **Study 5, shaft optimization (July 1984)**
  - **Study 6, tunnel optimization (May 1984)**
  - **Study 7, waste emplacement optimization (June 1984)**
  - **Study 8, in situ instrumentation (June 1984)**
  - **Study 9, underground repository layout (January 1985)**
- **SCP conceptual design**
  - **70,000 MTHM**
  - **3,400 MTHM/yr**
  - **Short horizontal boreholes**
  - **Spent fuel**
  - **West Valley and defense high-level waste**



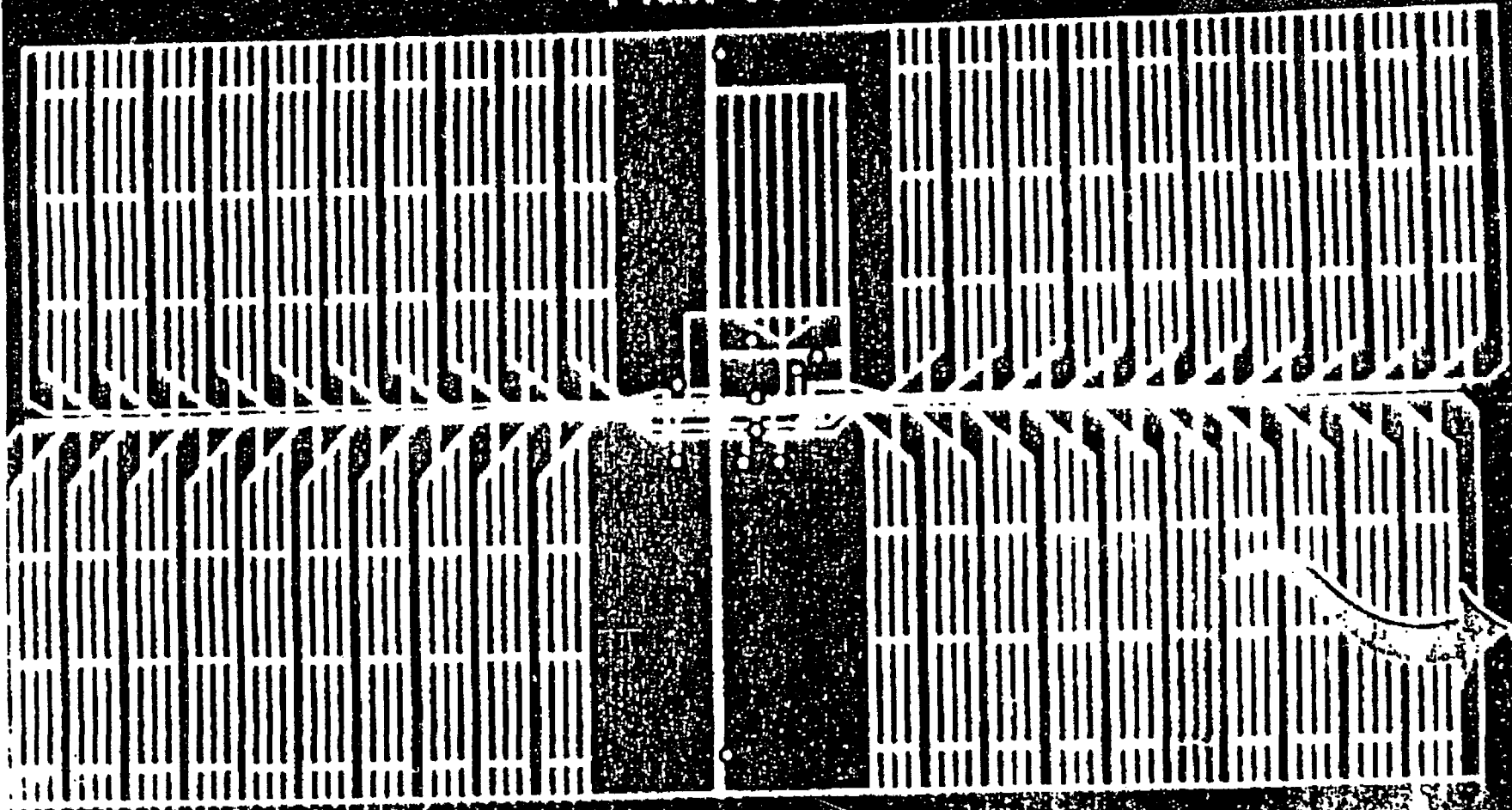




**Artist's Concept of Repository System**

# Two-Stage, Four Quadrant Repository

## Plan View





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**SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN QUALITY ASSURANCE**

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## **SECTION 8.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM**

- **Describes the Quality Assurance Program to be applied to the Basalt Waste Isolation Project site characterization activities**
  - **Summarizes the Basalt Waste Isolation Project Quality Assurance Plan**
  - **Summarizes Federally mandated requirements applicable to the Basalt Waste Isolation Project**
  - **Describes the organization of the Project**
  - **Describes the application of Quality Assurance**
  - **Lists plans and procedures that implement requirements**

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## **SECTION 8.6.1 QUALITY ASSURANCE PLAN SUMMARY**

- **Describes the Basalt Waste Isolation Project Quality Assurance Plan**
- **Describes the Basalt Waste Isolation Project philosophy of Quality Assurance**
- **Summarizes Quality Assurance Program implementation responsibilities**
- **Describes the assessment of the Quality Assurance Program**

# BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM RESPONSIBILITY MATRIX

Quality assurance criteria	Responsibilities				
	DOE-RL	IC	A-E	CM	SUPP
1.0 Organization	P, R	S, R	S	S	S
2.0 Quality assurance program	P, A, R	S, R	S	S	S
3.0 Design control	P, A, R	S, A, R	S	S	S
4.0 Procurement document control	P, A, R	S, A, R	S	S	S
5.0 Instructions, procedures, and drawings	P, A, R	S, A, R	S	S	S
6.0 Document control	P, A, R	S, A, R	S	S	S
7.0 Control of purchased items and services	P, R	S, A, R	S	S, A, R	S
8.0 Identification and control of items	P, A, R	S, A, R		S	S
9.0 Control of processes	P, R	S, A, R	S	S	S
10.0 Inspection	P, R	S, A, R		S	S
11.0 Test control	P, R	S, A, R	S	S	S
12.0 Control of measuring and testing equipment	P, R	S, R		S	S
13.0 Handling, storage, and shipping	P, R	S, R		S	S
14.0 Inspection, test, and operating status	P, R	S, R		S	S
15.0 Control of nonconforming items	P, A, R	S, A, R	S, A, R	S	S
16.0 Corrective action	P, A, R	S, A, R	S, A, R	S	S
17.0 Quality assurance records	P, R	S, R	S	S	S
18.0 Audits	P, R	S, R	S	S	S

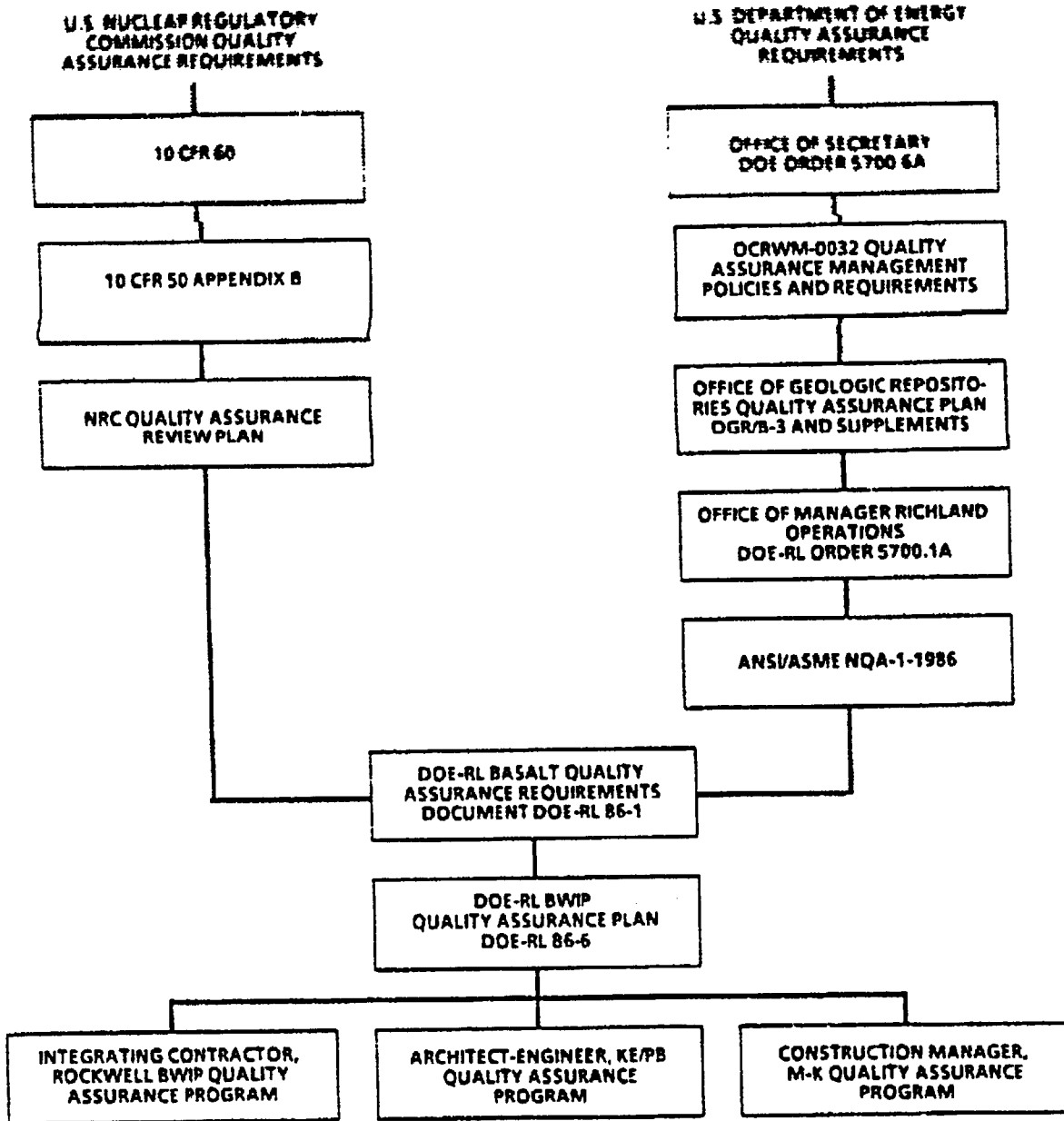
**NOTE:** Responsible organizations:  
 DOE-RL - U.S. Department of Energy-Richland Operations Office, Office of Commercial Nuclear Waste  
 BWIP Participant Contractors  
 IC - Integrating contractor  
 CM - Construction manager  
 A-E - Architect-engineer  
 SUPP - Support contractor/lab/supplier

Responsibility:  
 P - Primary  
 S - Support  
 A - Approve  
 R - Review/audit

## **SECTION 8.6.2 REQUIREMENTS FOR QUALITY ASSURANCE**

- **Provides the hierarchy of Quality Assurance requirements documents**
- **Describes the interaction of those documents**
- **Summarizes the Quality Assurance requirements for the Basalt Waste Isolation Project and their implementation**

# QUALITY ASSURANCE DOCUMENTS HIERARCHY



- ANSI/ASME - AMERICAN NATIONAL STANDARDS INSTITUTE-AMERICAN SOCIETY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS
- BWIP - BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT
- DOE - U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
- DOE-RL - U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY- RICHLAND OPERATIONS OFFICE
- NRC - U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
- OCRWM - OFFICE OF CIVILIAN RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT

- BWIP PARTICIPANT CONTRACTORS
- ROCKWELL - ROCKWELL HANFORD OPERATIONS INTEGRATING CONTRACTOR
- K&PB - KAISER ENGINEERS, INC.-PARSONS BRINCKERHOFF QUADE & DOUGLAS, INC., ARCHITECT ENGINEER
- M-K - MORRISON-KNUDSEN COMPANY, INC., CONSTRUCTION MANAGER

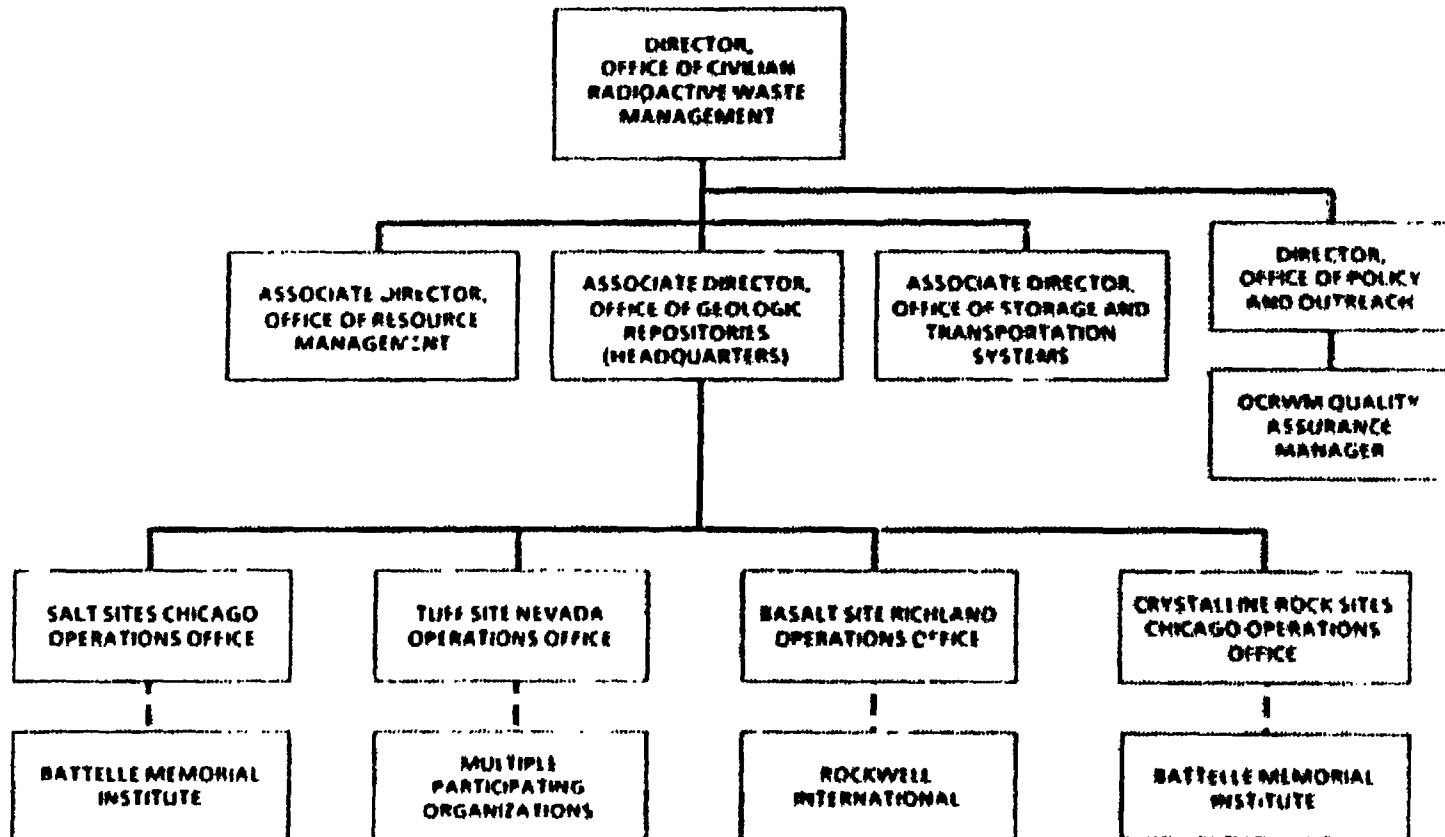
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## **SECTION 8.6.3 ORGANIZATION OF THE PROJECT WITH RESPECT TO QUALITY ASSURANCE**

**Describes the organization of**

- **Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management**
- **Office of Geologic Repositories**
- **U.S. Department of Energy - Richland Operations Office**
- **Basalt Waste Isolation Project Participant Contractors**

# OFFICE OF CIVILIAN RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT

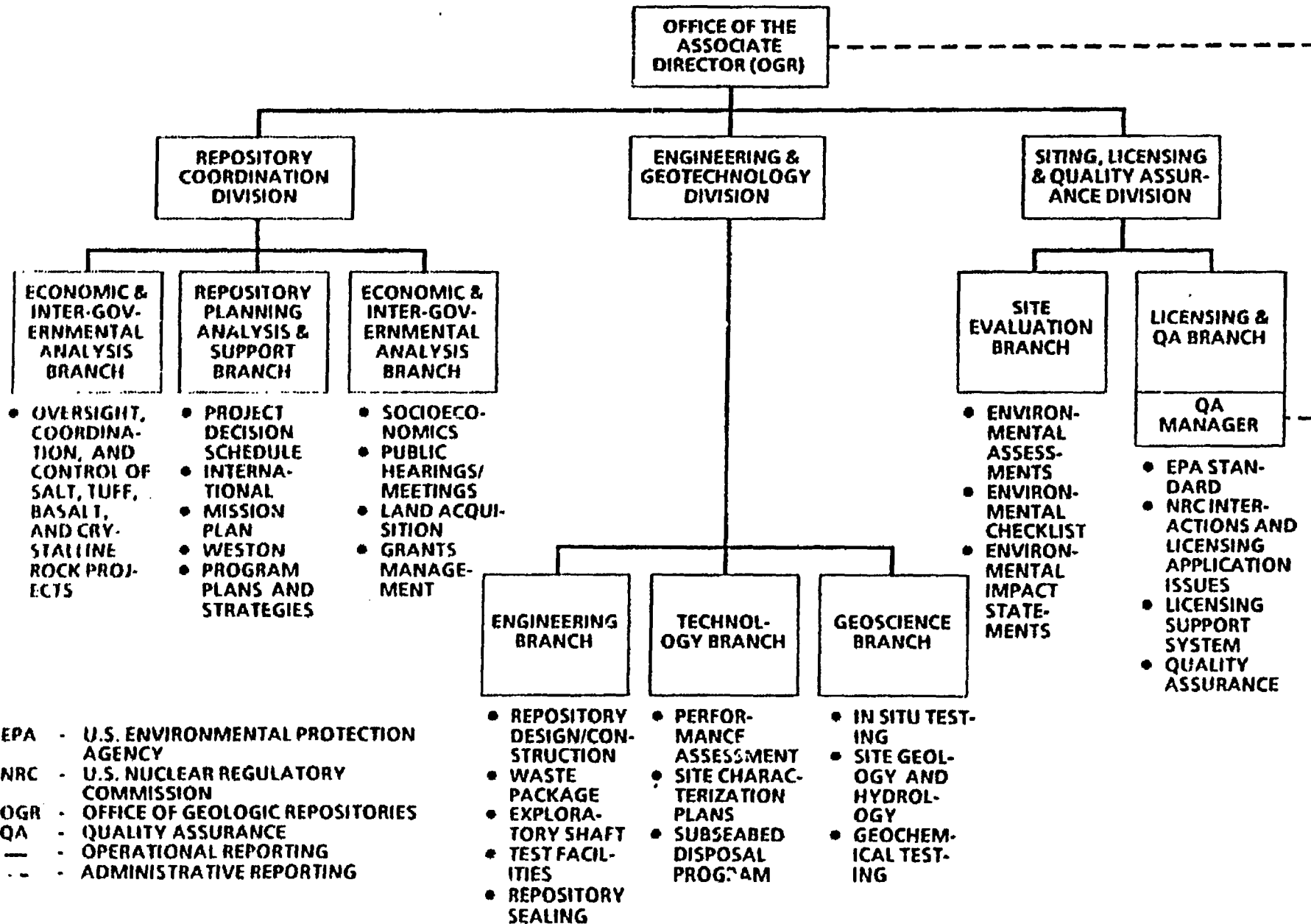


— PROGRAM/PROJECT MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITY

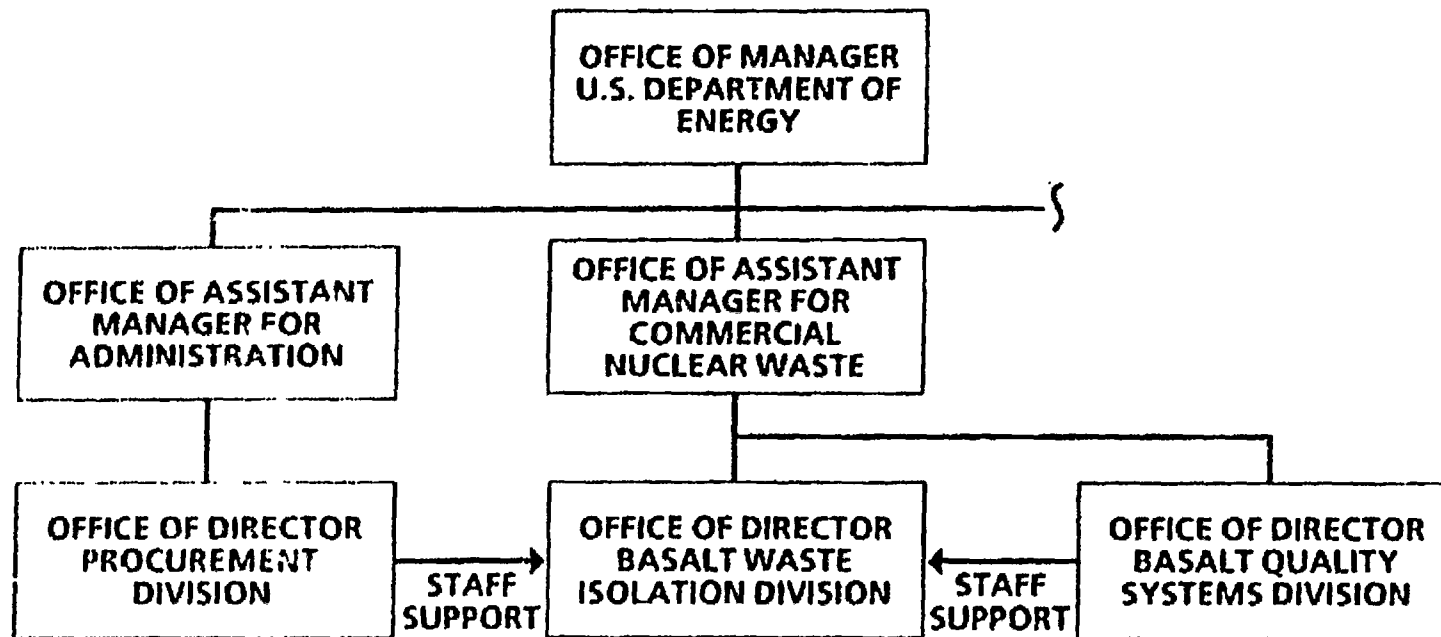
- - MAJOR CONTRACTOR SUPPORT



# Office of Geologic Repositories Organization Chart

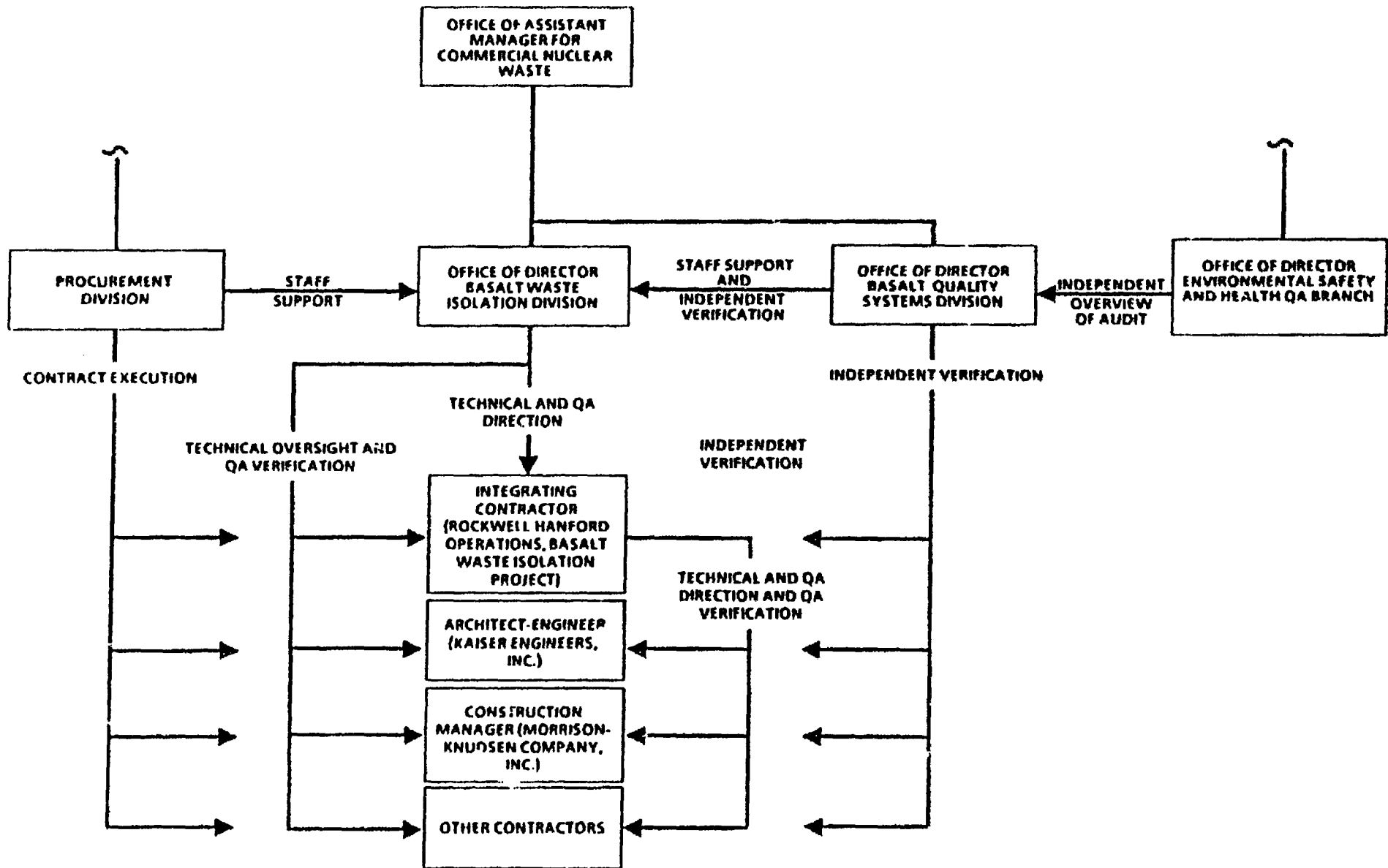


# U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY-RICHLAND OPERATIONS OFFICE BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT ORGANIZATION CHART



— TECHNICAL ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTION

# BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT ORGANIZATION



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## **SECTION 8.6.4 APPLICATION OF QUALITY ASSURANCE**

**Describes the Quality Assurance Programs during**

- **Site exploration**
- **Site characterization**
  - **Determination of “Q” list**
  - **Determination of Quality Assurance levels**

# GRADED QUALITY ASSURANCE

## DEFINITIONS

- **Important to safety**
  - Those engineered structures, systems, and components essential to the prevention or mitigation of an accident that could result in a radiation dose to the whole body, or any organ, of 0.5 rem or greater at or beyond the nearest boundary of the unrestricted area at any time until the completion of permanent closure
  
- **Important to waste isolation**
  - Those natural and engineered structures, systems, or components that must function in a predetermined manner to inhibit the transport of radioactive material so that amounts and concentrations of this material entering the accessible environment will be kept within the prescribed limits
  
- **Q-List**
  - A list of geologic repository structures, systems, components, and activities that have been determined to be important to safety and/or waste isolation and are thereby subject to the highest quality level (Quality Level I) of the formal Quality Assurance Program

# **QUALITY LEVEL CATEGORIZATION CRITERIA**

## **Quality Level I**

- **Items or activities important to safety**
- **Items or activities important to waste isolation**

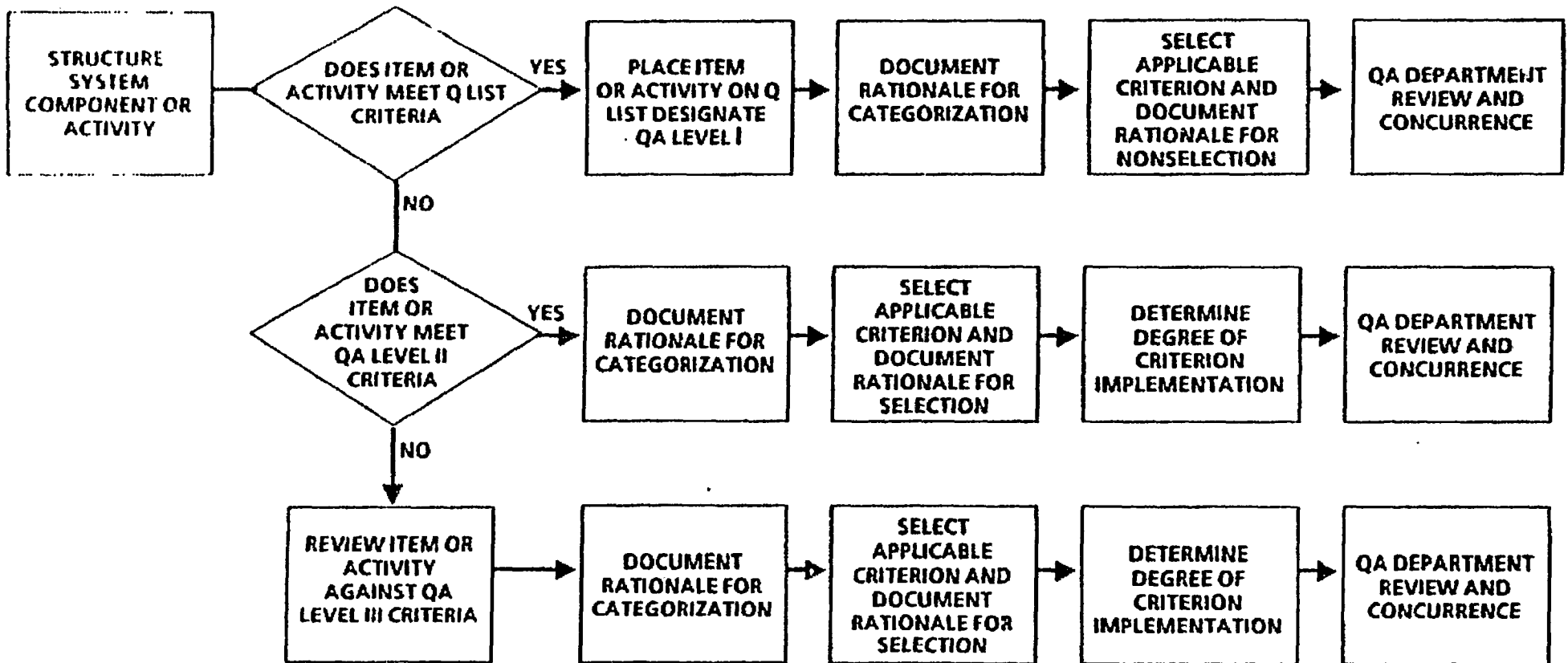
## **Quality Level II**

- **Items or activities whose cost or schedule impacts <10,000,000**
- **Items or activities important to worker or personnel radiological safety**

## **Quality Level III**

- **Items or activities whose cost or schedule impacts  $\geq 10,000,000$**

## Quality Level Categorization Methodology



# **APPLICABLE QUALITY ASSURANCE REQUIREMENTS**

## **Quality Assurance Level I**

- **Basalt Quality Assurance Requirements Document**
- **DOE-RL Quality Assurance Plan**

## **Quality Assurance Level II**

- **DOE-RL Quality Assurance Plan**
- **NQA-1-1986 basic requirements**
- **Select NQA-1-1986 supplements**

## **Quality Assurance Level III**

- **DOE-RL Quality Assurance Plan**
- **NQA-1-1986 basic requirements**
- **Standard industry practice**



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## **SECTION 8.6.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES**

**Lists the Quality Assurance administrative procedures that define and direct controls and control systems making up the Basalt Waste Isolation Project Quality Assurance Program**

## **SECTION 8.6.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE PLANS AND PROCEDURES FOR SPECIFIC PROGRAM AREAS**

**Lists the Quality Assurance Plans and necessary  
procedures to implement the control systems described  
in section 8.6.5**

YIN TECHNICAL PRESENTATION

BWIP QUARTERLY STATUS MEETING

Richland, WA

January 14-15, 1987

YAKIMA INDIAN NATION  
NUCLEAR WASTE PROGRAM

RUSSELL JIM: PROGRAM MANAGER

SLIDE 1

YIN SCOPE OF WORK

- \* GEOCHEMISTRY
- \* HYDROGEOLOGY
- \* ROCK MECHANICS
- \* EXPLORATORY SHAFT TEST FACILITY
- \* ENGINEERED BARRIER SYSTEM
- \* STRUCTURAL STABILITY AND CONSTRUCTIBILITY ANALYSES
- \* SEISMO-TECTONICS
- \* ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING
- \* QUALITY ASSURANCE PLAN

SLIDE 2

GEOCHEMISTRY

GROUNDWATER GEOCHEMISTRY

- \* SAMPLING AND ANALYTICAL TECHNIQUES
- \* SORPTION
- \* SOLUBILITY
- \* REDOX
- \* COMPUTER MODELING
- \* SECONDARY MINERAL PHASES
- \* GEOCHEMICAL SEALING POTENTIAL
- \* TRANSPORT MECHANISMS

WASTE PACKAGE/GROUNDWATER INTERACTIONS

- \* WASTE FORM LEACHING MECHANISMS
- \* CONTAINED DEGRADATION

SLIDE 3

HYDROGEOLOGY

\* PHYSICAL HYDROGEOLOGY

- 1) REGIONAL FLOW SYSTEM
- 2) SITE SPECIFIC PARAMETER IDENTIFICATION

\* CHEMICAL HYDROGEOLOGY

- 1) FLOW INTERPRETATIONS
- 2) TRANSPORT PARAMETERS

\* BASELINE ANALYSIS

- 1) DATA BASE REVIEW
- 2) PREDICTIVE MODELS
- 3) CONSTRAINTS ON TEST PROGRAM SCHEDULE

\* GROUNDWATER TRAVEL TIME

SLIDE 4

ROCK MECHANICS

\* ROCK MECHANICS DATA BASE

1) LABORATORY TESTS

2) FIELD TESTS

A) BLOCK TESTS

B) IN SITU TESTS

C) NSTF

etc.

\* BWIP FRACTURE MECHANICS PROGRAM



SLIDE 5

EXPLORATORY SHAFT TEST FACILITY

- \* CONSTRUCTABILITY (STABILITY OF UNDERGROUND OPENINGS,  
DAMAGED ZONE)
- \* ADEQUACY OF PLANNED TESTS
- \* IMPACTS OF ES CONSTRUCTION ON REPOSITORY  
INTEGRITY/PERFORMANCE

SLIDE 6

STRUCTURAL STABILITY AND CONSTRUCTIBILITY ANALYSES

- \* ROCK CHARACTERISTICS DATA BASE  
MECHANICAL/THERMAL/HYDROLOGIC/CHEMICAL/NUCLEAR
- \* ROCK BEHAVIOR AND CONSTITUTIVE MODELING
- \* FAILURE CRITERIA OF ROCKS
- \* STRUCTURAL MODELS/COMPUTER CODES
- \* STRESS ANALYSIS
- \* DETERMINATION OF THE DISTURBED ZONE

SLIDE 7

ENGINEERED BARRIER SYSTEM  
CONCEPTUAL DESIGN/PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

\* REPOSITORY

- 1) FUNCTIONAL DESIGN CRITERIA AND LIMITATIONS
- 2) DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS
- 3) CONCEPTUAL MODELS/COMPUTER CODES
- 4) SUBSURFACE LAYOUT

\* WASTE PACKAGES

- 1) WASTE FORM
- 2) CANISTERS
- 3) PACKING AND BACKFILL MATERIALS
- 4) PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

SLIDE 8

SEISMOTECTONIC INVESTIGATION

\* REVIEW TECTONIC MODELS

- 1) REGIONAL (PACIFIC NORTHWEST)
- 2) LOCAL (YAKIMA FOLD BELT)

\* ASSESS GEODETIC AND GEOPHYSICAL DATA/METHODS

\* ASSESS POTENTIAL SEISMIC HAZARDS

- 1) HISTORICAL
- 2) RECENT
  - DEEP EVENTS
  - SHALLOW EVENTS (EARTHQUAKE SWARMS)
- 3) FUTURE
  - MINING-INDUCED
  - SUBDUCTION-RELATED

SLIDE 9

**BASELINE ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING**

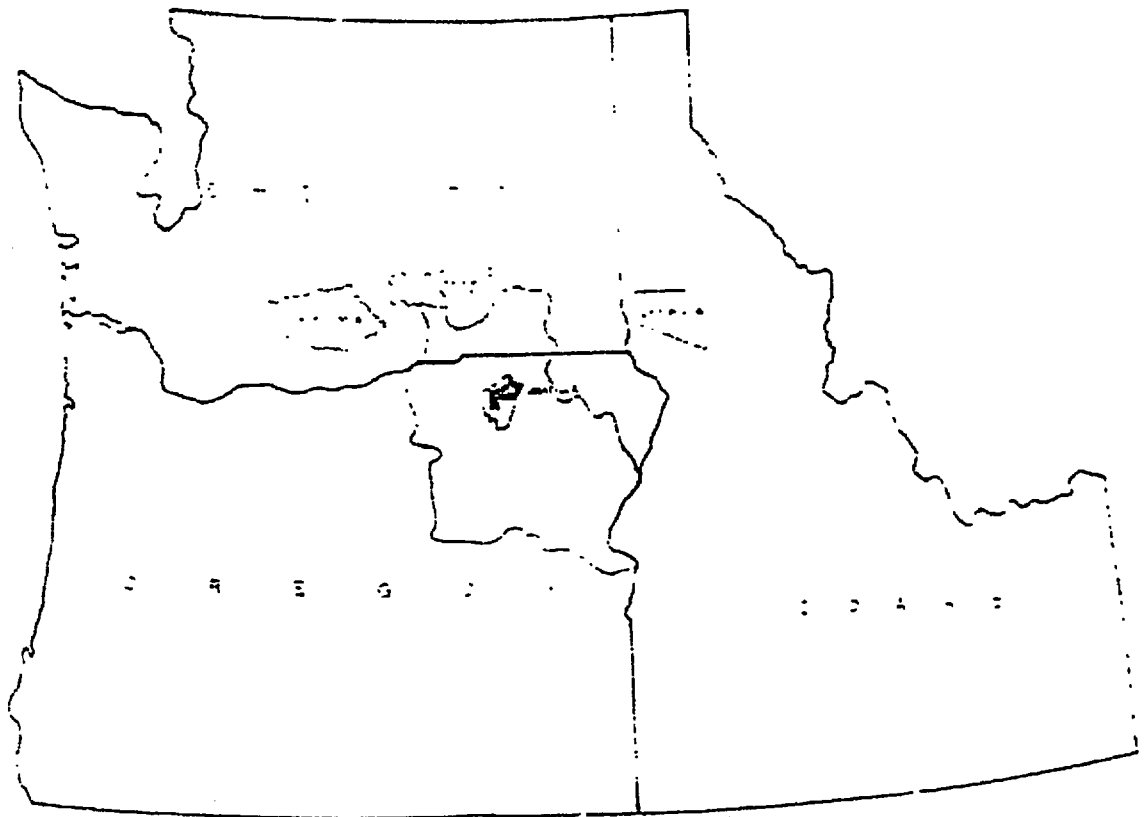
- \* MONITORING NETWORK INTEGRATION AND ASSESSMENT
- \* EVALUATION OF DATA BASE PER BASELINE CONDITIONS
- \* ADDITIONAL MONITORING REQUIREMENTS

SLIDE 10

REQUIREMENTS OF YIN TECHNICAL PROGRAM  
FOR COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF BWIP ACTIVITIES

- \* TEST PLANS AND PROCEDURES
- \* DATA GATHERED IN LAB OR IN-SITU
- \* INTERFACING MEETINGS WITH DOE AND CONTRACTORS

EASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT  
STATUS REPORT



Presented By The  
CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF THE  
UMATILLA INDIAN RESERVATION  
NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM

January 15, 1987

UMATILLA NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM  
GOALS

ENSURE TREATY RIGHTS, SOVEREIGNTY, ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES,  
CULTURAL HERITAGE, PUBLIC SAFETY AND WELFARE ARE RECOGNIZED AND  
PROTECTED

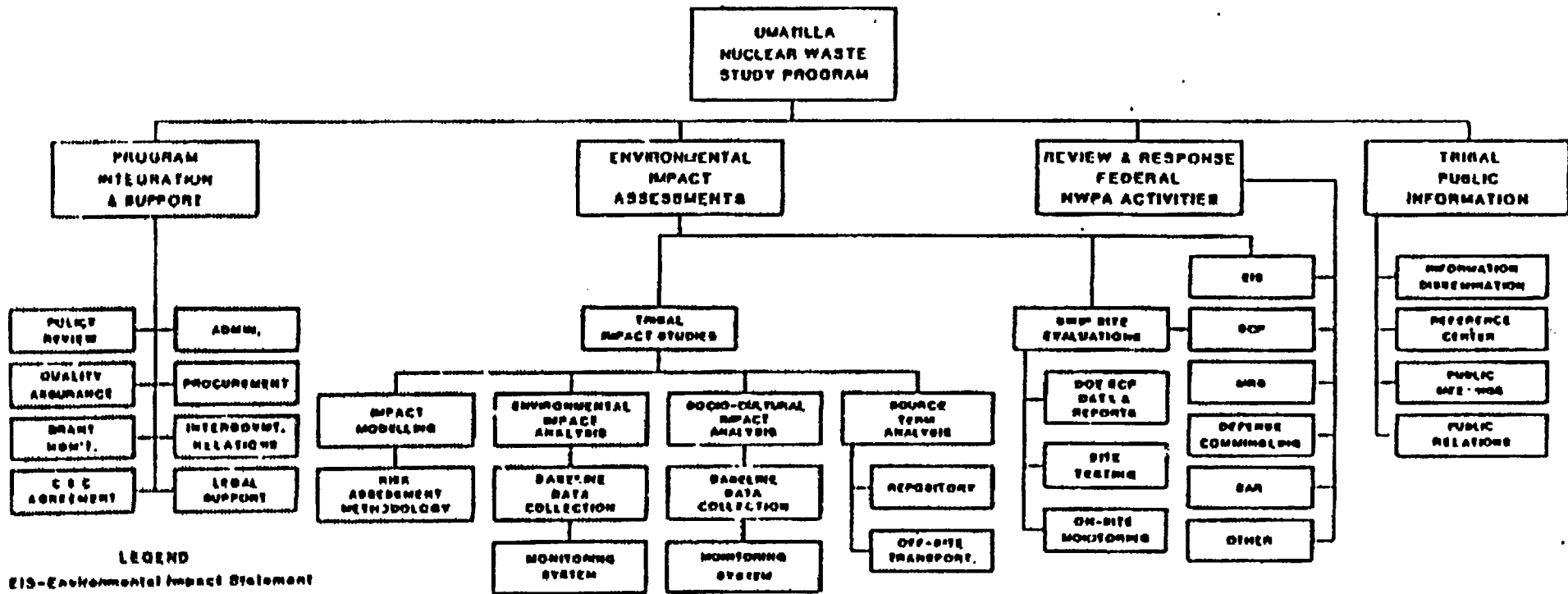
PROVIDE FOR EFFECTIVE AND ACTIVE PARTICIPATION IN FEDERAL  
PLANNING AND DECISION-MAKING PROCESSES

CONDUCT STUDIES, PLANS, TO DETERMINE THE EFFECTS OF A REPOSITORY  
ON TRIBAL INTERESTS AND ALSO REVIEW AND ASSESSMENT OF FEDERAL  
ACTIVITIES

INFORM TRIBAL PUBLIC ON ACTIVITIES, STATUS, PLANS OF FEDERAL AND  
TRIBAL GOVERNMENT THAT REFLECT INTERESTS AND CONCERNS OF THE  
TRIBE



**WORK BREAKDOWN STRUCTURE**  
**UMATLLA NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM**  
**SITE CHARACTERIZATION PHASE**



**LEGEND**

EIS-Environmental Impact Statement  
 MRB-Monitored Retrieval Storage  
 SAR-Safety Analysis Report  
 BCP-Site Characterization Plans

CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF THE UMATILLA INDIAN RESERVATION  
NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM  
FY 1986 PROJECTS

- U-1           PROGRAM MANAGEMENT
  
- U-2           ACTIVITIES LEADING TO A C & C AGREEMENT
  
- U-3           REVIEW AND COMMENT
  
- U-4           MONITORING, ANALYSIS AND STUDIES
  
- U-5           TRIBAL PUBLIC INFORMATION
  
- U-6           COORDINATION OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

UMATILLA NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM  
MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS  
FY 86

U-1 PROGRAM MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

- COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM PLAN COMPLETE
- PROGRAM OVERVIEW SEMINAR
- 6.5 FULL TIME EMPLOYEES HIRED
- MANAGEMENT AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION SEMINAR
- EMERGENCY RESPONSE TRAINING
- ACQUIRED TWO COMPUTERS
- ACQUIRED OFFICE FACILITY

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BUDGET	\$281,650
ACTUAL	\$322,897
(UNDER)/OVER	\$ 41,247

UMATILLA NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM

MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

FY 86

PROJECT U-2

ACTIVITIES LEADING TO A C & C AGREEMENT

- BEGAN NEGOTIATIONS IN AUGUST
- RECESS IN OCTOBER
- EVALUATION BOOKLET DEVELOPED ON C & C NEGOTIATIONS
- INTENSIVE NEGOTIATION TRAINING
- C & C NEGOTIATIONS RESUMED
- C & C SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS NAMED
- AGREEMENT TO UTILIZE COURT REPORTER

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BUDGET	\$130,173
ACTUAL	\$ 68,002
(UNDER)/OVER	\$(62,171)

UMATILLA NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM  
MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS  
FY 86

PROJECT U-3

REVIEW AND COMMENT

- TRANSPORTATION PLANS
- PROJECT DECISION SCHEDULE
- ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT
- FINANCIAL AND-GRANT GUIDELINES
- DEFENSE WASTE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMEN
- OTHER FEDERAL RELEASES

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BUDGET	\$ 60,364
ACTUAL	\$ 33,350
(UNDER)/OVER	\$(27,014)

UMATILLA NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM  
MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS  
FY 86

PROJECT U-4

MONITORING, ANALYSIS AND STUDIES

- BWIP GEOTECHNICAL STATUS REPORT
- TRIBAL RESOLUTION FOR ON-SITE MONITORING
- REPORT ON SOCIOECONOMIC PLAN
- ON-SITE TRIBAL REPRESENTATIVE
- ENVIRONMENTAL PLANS
- SOCIOECONOMIC & CULTURAL PLANS
- RISK ASSESSMENT PLAN

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BUDGET	\$420,005
ACTUAL	\$350,843
(UNDER)/OVER	\$(69,162)

UMATILLA NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM

MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

FY 86

PROJECT U-5

TRIBAL PUBLIC INFORMATION

- HANFORD TOURS
- PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETINGS
- NEWSLETTER
- NUCLEAR WASTE SEMINAR
- CATALOGUED AND INDEXED MATERIALS
- HANFORD HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS
- HANFORD HEALTH EFFECTS

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BUDGET	\$ 84,620
ACTUAL	\$ 73,791
(UNDER)/OVER	\$(10,829)

UMATILLA NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM

MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

FY 86

PROJECT U-6

COORDINATION OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIE

- ATTENDED MEETINGS (national, regional, and local)
- FIRST RESPONDERS
- EMERGENCY RESPONSE

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BUDGET	\$ 48,404
ACTUAL	\$ 42,601
(UNDER)/OVER	\$ (5,803)



UMATILLA NUCLEAR WASTE STUDY PROGRAM  
PROPOSED PROJECTS  
FY 87

- U-1 PROGRAM MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION
- U-2 INTERGOVERNMENTAL LIAISON AND REVIEW
- U-3 TRIBAL PUBLIC INFORMATION
- U-4 ENVIRONMENTAL/HEALTH & SAFETY ASSESSMENT
- U-5 SOCIOECONOMIC AND CULTURAL ASSESSMENT
- U-6 BWIP SITE ANALYSIS AND MONITORING
- U-7 TRANSPORTATION ANALYSIS

The Washington State Institute for Public Policy  
Program for Legislative Support

PROGRAM GUIDANCE

WSIPP Board of Directors composed of legislators  
Legislative members of the Nuclear Waste Board  
Senate Energy and Utilities Committee  
House Energy and Utilities Committee  
All other legislators and staff

WRITTEN INFORMATION

Information Report - provide background information for long-term  
Briefs and Issues - provide detail on issues of immediate concern  
Newsletter - update legislators on current activities bimonthly  
Newsclips - weekly compilation of regional papers  
Calendar of Upcoming Events  
Responses to specific legislative inquiries

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Committee briefings  
Meet with individual legislators and staff  
Respond to inquiries of legislators and staff  
Assist committee staff with research  
Maintain status of appropriate legislation

BRIEFINGS

Yearly, around the state in legislator's home districts  
Fall 1985 - general review and update of NWSA program  
Fall 1986 - in cooperation with the NWSB on Referendum 40

CONFERENCES

December 3, 1986 - Nuclear Waste: Perspectives, Risks and Alternatives

PEER REVIEW NETWORK

Group of experts in the academic community  
Provide support in review of documents prepared by NWSB and WSIPP  
Provide support to WSIPP in review of documents and activities of DOE

## NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF STATE LEGISLATORS

Coordinate efforts to work with other state legislators  
April 1986 co-hosted meeting and tour of Hanford  
Planning meeting with NCSL to involve corridor states

## TOURS OF HANFORD

April 1986 - general and technical  
Sept 1987 - specific technical tours for legislators and executive sta.

## CONGRESS

Meet with Congressional staff  
Track federal legislation

## NUCLEAR WASTE BOARD

Attend meetings  
Participate in committees  
Coordinate activities

## CONTRACTS

Small, short-term contracts based on legislative inquiries and concerns  
Ranking methodology for draft and final environmental assessments  
Potential economic loss

## INFORMATION MATERIAL REQUEST FORM

Listed below are information materials available from the Washington State Institute for Public Policy, Nuclear Waste Repository Project. These reports are prepared primarily for the use of Legislators and staff. Requests for individual copies by interested persons will be honored based on availability. Please check which materials you wish and return the form to the address below.

### Information Reports

- \_\_\_\_\_ Spent Nuclear Fuel From Foreign Reactors (86-3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transportation of High Level Radioactive Waste (86-2)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Defense Radioactive Waste - Some Questions and Answers (86-1)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Monitored Retrievable Storage (MRS) and Its Impact on a Proposed Repository at Hanford (85-6)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic Facts About Groundwater and the Concern at the Proposed Hanford Repository (85-5)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Nuclear Power Reactors - An Overview (85-4)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Radiation and Its Health Effects (85-3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Spent Nuclear Fuel Storage and the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982 (85-2)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Radioactive Waste Disposal - History and Current Status

### Nuclear Waste Issues

- \_\_\_\_\_ How Can We Tell If a Hanford Repository Will Be Safe? (April 1986)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Suspending the Second Repository Is Not Justified (September 1986)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Where the Repository Siting Process Went Wrong (October 1986)

### Nuclear Waste Brief

- \_\_\_\_\_ A Guide to the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982 (October 1986)

Please send materials to:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

For additional information please write or call:

Washington State Institute for Public Policy  
Nuclear Waste Repository Project  
The Evergreen State College  
Seminar Building, Mail Stop TA-00  
Olympia, Washington 98505  
(206) 866-6000, extension 6454

Attachment 8

Risks to the Affected Parties' Repository Program  
(Identified by Affected Parties at the  
BWIP Quarterly Update Meeting  
January 15, 1987)

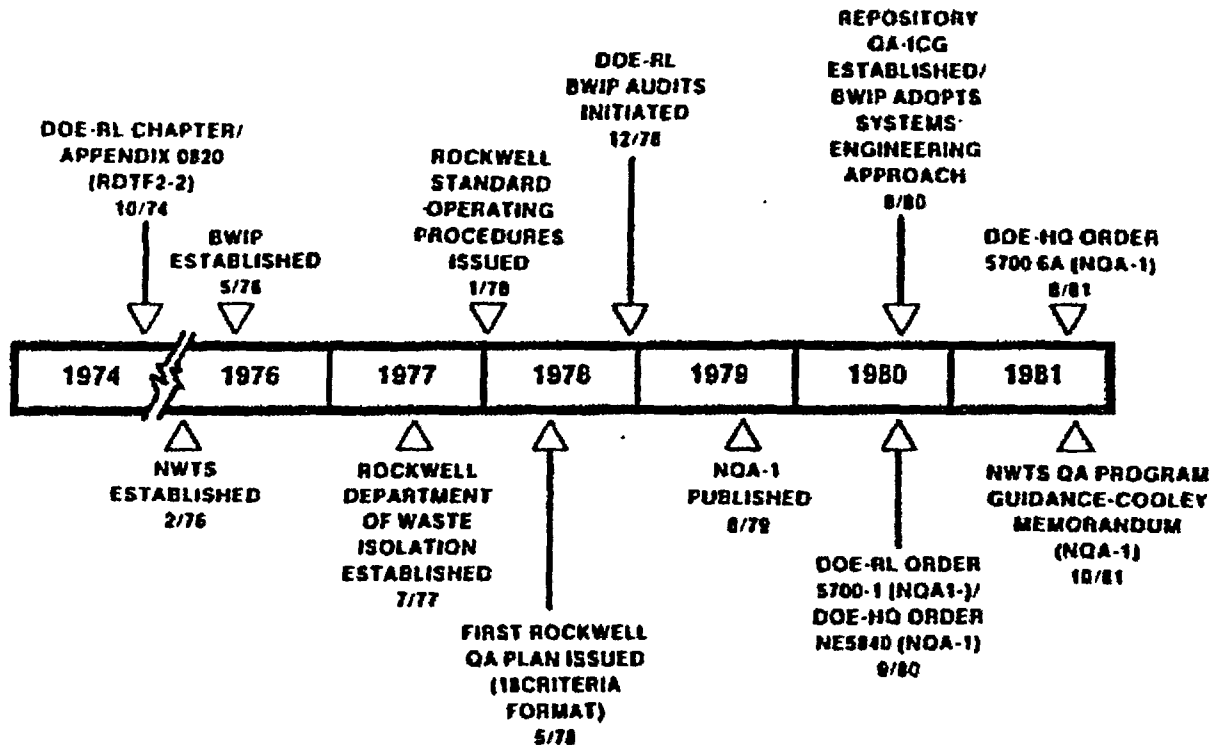
1. One-time project
2. Do it right the first time
3. History of political decisions
4. History of previous lack of management attention to quality assurance (QA)
5. History of previous lack of credibility
6. Qualification of existing data
7. Quality assurance on execution of the procedural requirements of the NWPA
8. "half-life of awareness" (complacency that QA procedures and program is working over very long periods of time)
9. Risk with using newly developed coupled models (how will complex models be validated and controls be imposed?)
10. Availability of resources to properly implement the QA program
11. Steps to inculcate the QA awareness and understanding in all levels of project staff
12. Too great a dependency on QA staff function to catch problems
13. Proceeding too far into execution of work before properly reviewing plans and strategies that establish this work
14. Procedure development and validation for state-of-the-art testing

# **BWIP QA PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

**R. P. SAGET, DIRECTOR**

**QUALITY SYSTEMS DIVISION  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
RICHLAND, WASHINGTON**

# CHRONOLOGY OF BWIP QA PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT

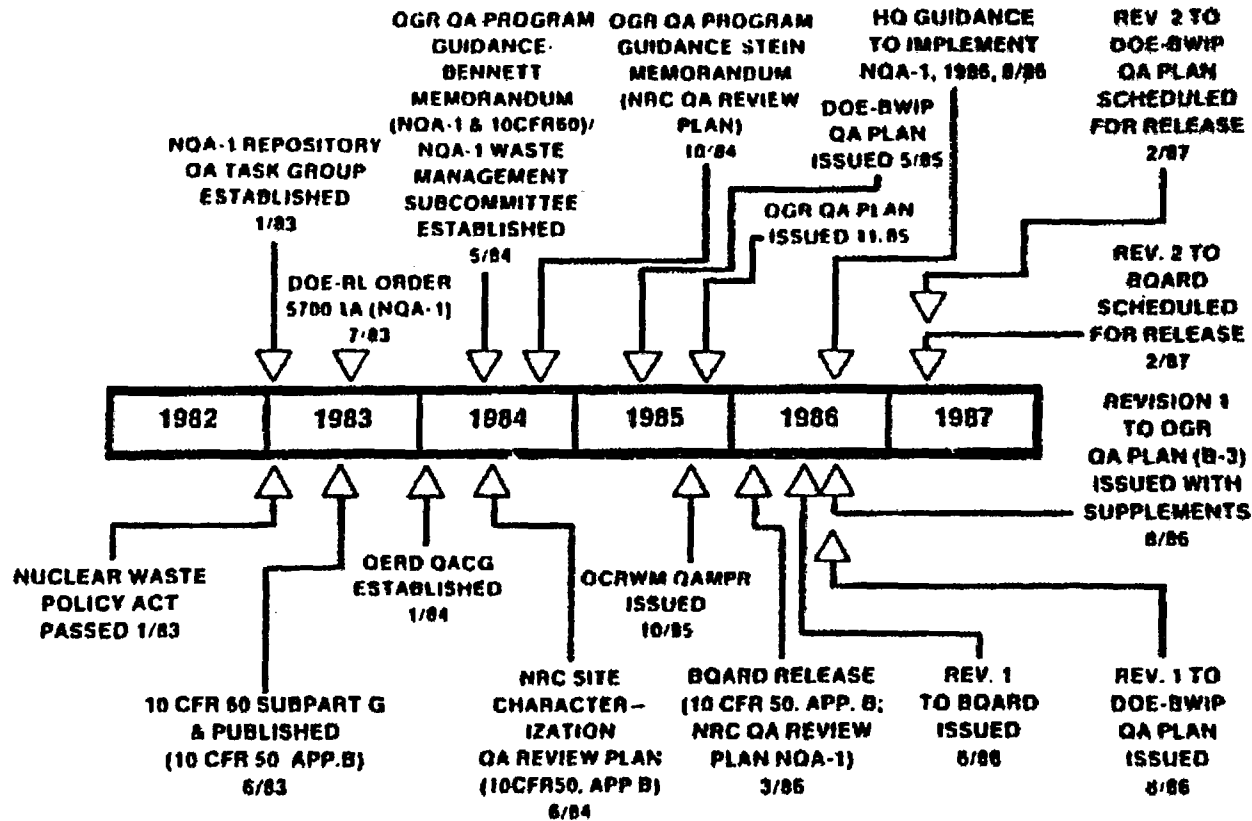


## ACRONYMS:

DOE-RL: DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RICHLAND OPERATIONS OFFICE  
 RD: REACTOR DEVELOPMENT TECHNOLOGY  
 NWTS: NUCLEAR WASTE TERMINAL STORAGE PROGRAM  
 BWIP: BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT  
 NQA: NUCLEAR QUALITY ASSURANCE  
 QA-ICE: QUALITY ASSURANCE INTERFACE COORDINATION GROUP  
 NE: NUCLEAR ENERGY  
 OGRD: OFFICE OF GEOLOGIC REPOSITORY DEPLOYMENT  
 QACG: QUALITY ASSURANCE COORDINATION GROUP

NRC: NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
 OGR: OFFICE OF GEOLOGIC REPOSITORIES  
 OCRWM: OFFICE OF CIVILIAN RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT  
 QAMPR: QUALITY ASSURANCE MANAGEMENT POLICIES AND REQUIREMENTS  
 BOARD: BASALT QUALITY ASSURANCE REQUIREMENTS DOCUMENT

# CHRONOLOGY OF BWIP QA PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT



## ACRONYMS

DOE-RL: DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RICHLAND OPERATIONS OFFICE  
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## **SOURCE OF QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM CRITERIA**

- **10 CFR 60, SUBPART G**
- **10 CFR 50, APPENDIX B**
- **U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION REVIEW PLAN  
FOR SITE CHARACTERIZATION**
- **ANSI/ASME NQA-1**

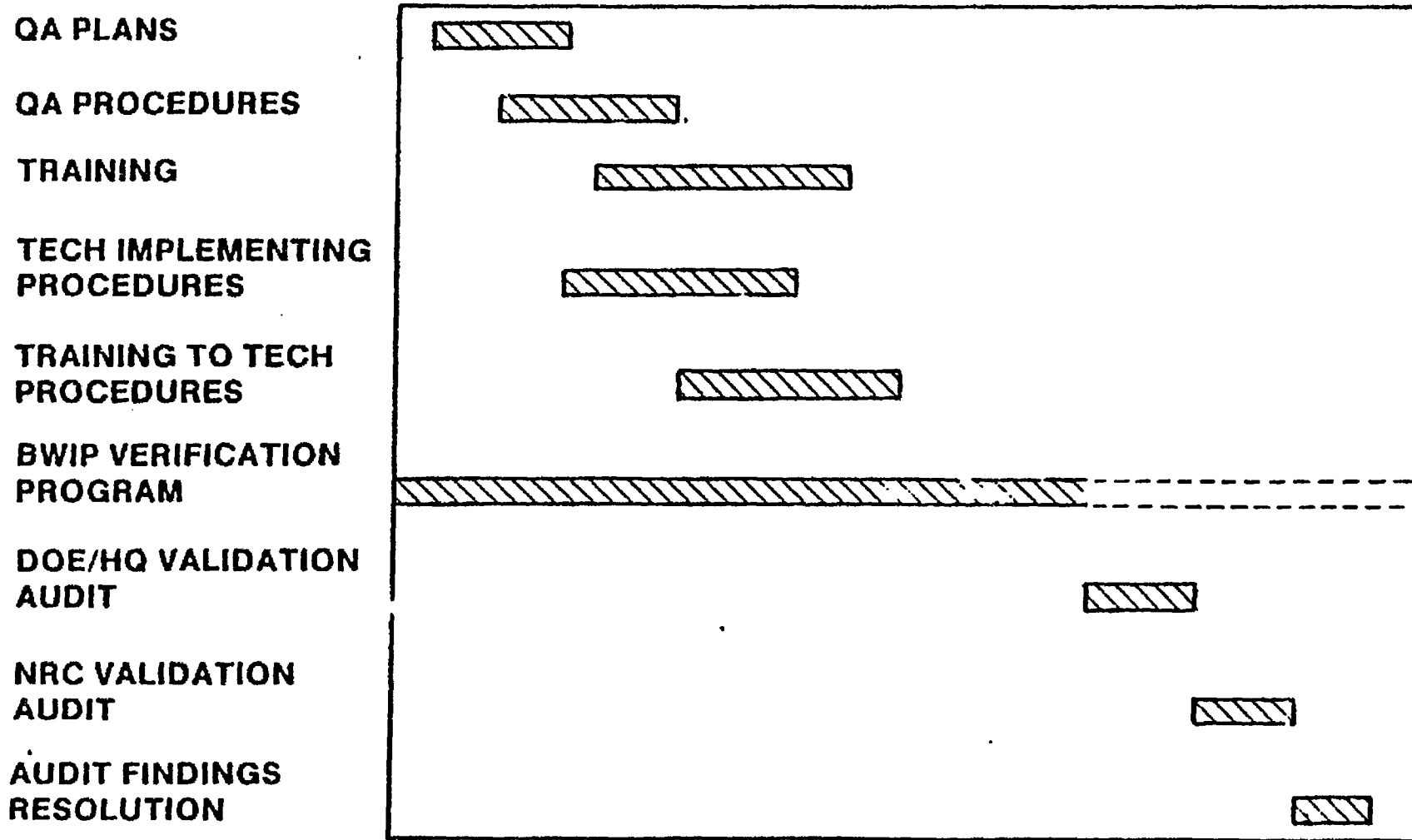
## **APPLICABLE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY QUALITY ASSURANCE PLANS AND REQUIREMENTS DOCUMENTS**

- **DOE ORDER 5700.6A, "QUALITY ASSURANCE"**
- **DOE/RL ORDER 5700.1A, "QUALITY ASSURANCE"**
- **OFFICE OF CIVILIAN RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT  
"QUALITY MANAGEMENT POLICIES AND REQUIREMENTS"**
- **OFFICE OF GEOLOGIC REPOSITORIES "QUALITY ASSURANCE  
PLAN FOR SITING AND SITE CHARACTERIZATION," OGR/B-3  
AND SUPPLEMENTS**
- **BASALT QUALITY ASSURANCE REQUIREMENTS DOCUMENT  
(BQARD)**

## **BQARD**

- **COMBINES BASE REQUIREMENTS FOR QUALITY LEVEL 1 ITEMS INTO A SINGLE DOCUMENT**
- **INSURES CONSISTENT IMPLEMENTATION OF REQUIREMENTS AMONG PROJECT PARTICIPANTS**
- **PROVIDES BASIS FOR “FULLY QUALIFIED” QA PROGRAM**
- **USES 18 CRITERIA FORMAT**

# PROGRAM LOGIC



## BWIP QA PLANS STATUS REPORT

AS OF QUARTER ENDING 12/31/86

MAJOR PARTICIPANT	DOCUMENT IDENTIFICATION	REV. NO.	STATUS*	APPROVAL DATE	REMARKS
RHO	RHO-QA-MA-3	2	5	8/4/86	REV. 3 TO DOE/RL FOR APPROVAL 12/86 - INCLUDES NQA-1-86 & OGR/B-3
KE/PB	BWIP PROCEDURES MANUAL	2	4	1/87	
M-K	BWIP QA MANUAL	1	4	1/87**	**DOE-RL PREPARING TO APPROVE WITH COMMENTS
PNL	QA MANUAL FOR LICENSING RELATED PROGRAMS (PNL-MA-60)	1	5	9/5/86	
WHC	QA MANUAL MG-197	.	5	8/6/86	
DOE-RL	BQARD	1	5	6/6/86	BOTH BEING REVISED TO ADDRESS NQA-1 1986 OGR-B3 & REORG
	DOE-RL QA PLAN	1	5	8/14/86	

**\*STATUS LEGEND:**

1 - PLANNED  
 2 - UNDER PREPARATION  
 3 - FOR COMMENT RESOLUTION

4 - FOR PROJECT APPROVAL  
 5 - ISSUED FOR IMPLEMENTATION

\* MANUAL HAS SEVERAL SECTIONS WITH INDIVIDUAL REVISION NUMBERS.

# QA PROCEDURES DEVELOPMENT SUMMARY

AS OF QUARTER ENDING 12/31/86

PROCEDURES STATUS	MAJOR PARTICIPANTS						PROJECT TOTALS	REMARKS
	DOE-RL	RHO	KE/PB	M-K	PNL	WHC		
TOTAL REQUIRED	36	30	47	26	80	68	290	*TO BE ISSUED AS QAPP'S IN RHO-BW-MA-17
ISSUED FOR IMPLEMEN- TATION	35*	16	30	8	80	68	—	*BEING REVISED TO ADDRESS NQA-1-86, OGR-B3 & REORG. CHANGES
APPROVED BY DOE-RL	35	16	42*	20**	NA***	NA***	—	*30 APPROVED NO COMMENTS 12 APPROVED WITH COMMENTS **8 APPROVED NO COMMENTS 12 APPROVED WITH COMMENTS *** APPROVED BY RHO
UNDER REVIEW OR COMMENT	0	11	3*	6*	—	—	—	*DISAPPROVED BY DOE
UNDER PREPARATION	0	1	2	2	—	—	1	
NOT YET STARTED	1	0	—	—	—	—	1	

## **DOE/RL BWI TRAINING PROGRAM**

<b>INITIAL PROCEDURE ORIENTATION</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>	<b>07-05-86</b>
<b>PROJECT ORIENTATION</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>	<b>09-15-86</b>
<b>ADVANCED AUDIT TRAINING</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>	<b>08-27-86</b>
<b>AUDITS AND SURVEILLANCE FOR THE TECHNICAL PARTICIPANTS</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>	<b>09-25-86</b>
<b>PERFORMANCE-BASED TRAINING SYSTEM</b>	<b>ADOPTED</b>	<b>08-23-86</b>
<b>- TRAINING MATRIX DEVELOPMENT</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>	<b>09-05-86</b>
<b>- JOB FUNCTION IDENTIFICATION</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>	<b>12-15-86</b>
<b>- EXAM PREPARATION COMPLETED &amp; DISTRIBUTED TO PERSONNEL</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>	<b>12-20-86</b>
<b>INSTRUCTOR TRAINING</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>	<b>10-22-86</b>
<b>DETAILED TRAINING AND EXAMINATIONS FOR IDENTIFIED JOB FUNCTIONS</b>	<b>TARGETED</b>	<b>02-01-87</b>

# ROCKWELL BWIP TRAINING PROGRAM

- **GENERAL EMPLOYEE ORIENTATION** **COMPLETE**
  - HISTORY OF BWIP 9/13/86
  - QA ORIENTATION &
  - BUSINESS MANAGEMENT 9/15-17/86
  - PROGRAM MANAGEMENT
  
- **MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS PART I** **COMPLETE**
  - DOCUMENT CONTROL 9/23-26/86
  - CORRESPONDENCE CONTROL &
  - RECORD CONTROL 9/29/86
  - ACTION TRACKING CONTROL
  - SAFETY CONTROL
  
- **MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS PART II** **COMPLETE**
  - RESOURCES CONTROL 9/30/86
  - PROCUREMENT CONTROL &
  - COST/SCHEDULE CONTROL 10/1-3,6/86
  - SECURITY CONTROL



# BWIP FY 87 QA AUDIT STATUS REPORT

AS OF QUARTER ENDING 12/31/86

INITIATING ORGANIZATION	AUDITS			AUDIT FINDINGS					REMARKS
	FISCAL YEAR		QUARTER	FISCAL YEAR			Q'ARTER		
	PL	CO	CO	IS	CL	OP	IS	CL	
RHO	0	0	0	0	16	7	0	16	
KE/PB	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	
M-K	5	4	4	5	0	5	5	0	
PNL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
WHC	1	.	.	0	0	0	0	0	*AUDIT STARTED DURING QUARTERS. NOT YET COMPLETED
DOE-RL	7	0	0	0	0	43	0	0	

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# BWIP FY 87 SURVEILLANCE STATUS REPORT

AS OF QUARTER ENDING 12/31/86

INITIATING ORGANIZATION	SURVEILLANCES			SURVEILLANCE REPORTS					REMARKS
	FISCAL YEAR	QUARTER	QUARTER	FISCAL YEAR			QUARTER		
	PL	CO	CO	IS	CL	OP	IS	CL	
RHO	78	32	32	32	50	20	32	50	
KE/PB	78	50	50	50	50	2	50	50	
M-K	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NO ACTIVITIES TO SURVEIL
PNL	14	14	14	14	14	6	14	14	
WHC	3	4	4	4	3	1	4	3	
DOE-RL	40	4	4	4	4	8	4	4	

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# QA STAFFING STATUS REPORT

AS OF QUARTER ENDING 12/31/86

FUNCTIONAL ACTIVITY	MAJOR PARTICIPANTS												REMARKS
	DOE-RL		RHO		KE/PB		M-K		PNL		WHC		
	EX	REQ	EX	REQ	EX	REQ	EX	REQ	EX	REQ	EX	REQ	
ADMINISTRATION/ MANAGEMENT	1	1	11	11	1	1	2	1.5*	1	1	2	2	*QC SUPERVISOR 9/29/86
PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT	3	3	7	7	1	1	1	1.5	3	4.25	4	2	
PROGRAM VERIFICATION	2	2	26	26	0	0	2	2	5	6.5	1	3	
CONSULTANTS	18	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	
OTHERS	0	0	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>15.75</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	

EX = EXISTING STAFF  
REQ = STAFFING REQUESTED FOR THE FY

# **ROCKWELL STOP WORK ORDER HISTORY**

- **BWI AUDIT/SURVEILLANCE PROGRAM**
  - LACK OF ADEQUATE QA PROCEDURES
  - LACK OF TECHNICAL PROCEDURES
  - LACK OF TRAINING/TRAINING PROGRAM
- **3/14/86 BWI REQUEST TO THE CONTRACTOR TO EVALUATE WORK ACTIVITIES AGAINST MANAGEMENT CONTROL PREREQUISITES**
- **4/11/86 CONTRACTOR RESPONSE**
  - REVIEWED 450 WORK ACTIVITIES - RECOMMENDED 41 ACTIVITIES BE STOPPED
  - FAILED TO IDENTIFY BASIS FOR SWO RECOMMENDATION
  - LATER SUBMITTAL OF WORK EVALUATION SHEETS DID NOT SUPPORT 4/11/86 RECOMMENDATION
- **4/24/86 STOP WORK LETTER ON PEER REVIEW**
- **5/1/86 DOE/RL STOP WORK LETTER TO CONTRACTOR**
  - IDENTIFIED SIX CATEGORIES FOR EXCEPTIONS
- **5/14/86 CONTRACTOR RESPONSE**
  - APPROXIMATELY 850 WORK ACTIVITIES REVIEWED
  - APPROXIMATELY 350 WORK ACTIVITIES RECOMMENDED FOR SWO
- **FOLLOW-ON ACTIVITIES**
  - ADDITIONAL ITEMS WERE STOPPED BASED ON FOLLOW-ON REVIEWS
  - ULTIMATELY 1,300 ACTIVITIES WERE REVIEWED AND APPROXIMATELY HALF WERE STOPPED. THE REMAINDER FELL INTO ONE OF THE SIX EXCEPTION

## **SWO PURPOSE**

- **TO REFOCUS PROJECT ATTENTION AND PRIORITIES TO INSURE APPROPRIATE MANAGEMENT AND TECHNICAL PREREQUISITES ARE PUT IN PLACE TO SUPPORT LICENSING**
- **PERMIT THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES TO CONTINUE**
  - **DATA GATHERING - FOR WHICH INTERRUPTION COULD RESULT IN LOSS OF SIGNIFICANT DATA**
  - **MANAGEMENT, OPERATING, AND QA SYSTEMS UPGRADES**
  - **SAFETY/MAINTENANCE ACTIVITIES**
  - **ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITIES**
  - **SITE CHARACTERIZATION PLAN (SCP) PREPARATION ACTIVITIES**
  - **ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES/IMPRUDENT TO STOP**

## **BWIP STOP WORK STATUS**

- **STOP WORK ORDER ISSUED MAY 1, 1986**
- **QUALITY AFFECTING ACTIVITIES STOPPED**
- **SOME ACTIVITIES CONTINUING - IMPRUDENT TO STOP**
- **BWI READINESS REVIEW BOARD ESTABLISHED**
- **PROJECT PARTICIPANTS REVISING PROCEDURES TO MEET BOARD AND SYSTEMS ENGINEERING REQUIREMENTS**
- **SURVEILLANCES BEING CONDUCTED ON CONTINUING ACTIVITIES**
  - **TRAINING**
  - **PROCEDURE WRITING**
  - **RECORDS**
- **RHO COMPLETED APPRAISALS OF DIRECT FUNDED CONTRACTORS - WHC, PNL, KE & M-K NOVEMBER 1986**
- **RHO INTERNAL APPRAISALS COMPLETED DECEMBER 1986**

## **BWIP STOP WORK STATUS (CONT)**

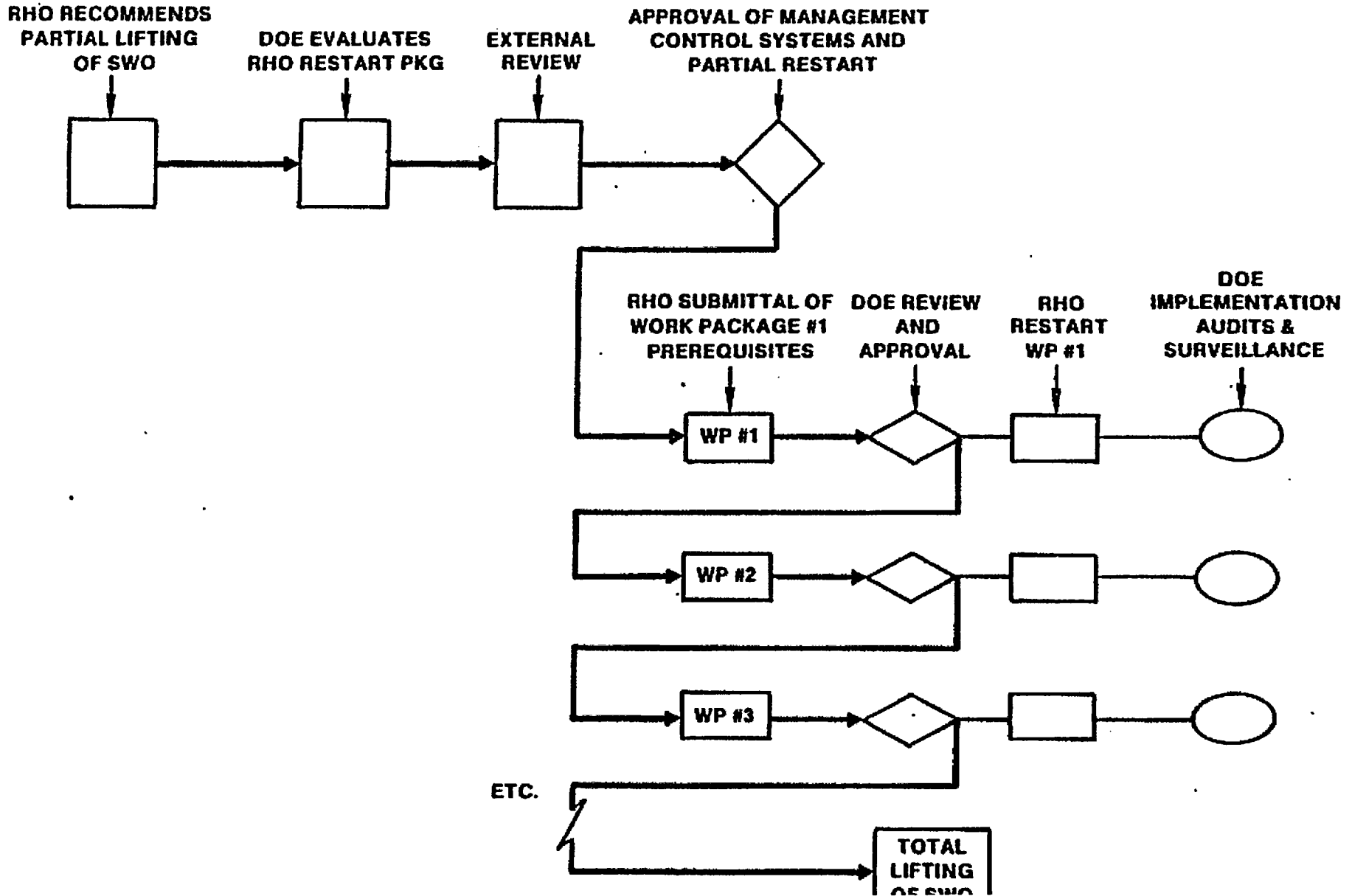
- **EXPLORATORY SHAFT DESIGN BASIS STUDY RESTARTED  
12/22/86**
- **EXPEDITED SPECIAL CASE REVIEW IN PROGRESS FOR  
RESTARTING DC 24/25 ACTIVITIES**
- **REVIEW PACKAGE FOR PARTIAL RELEASE OF THE GENERAL  
STOP WORK RECEIVED FROM ROCKWELL 1/5/85. REVIEW  
INITIATED**
- **DOE-RL AUDITS/ASSESSMENTS TO DETERMINE PROJECT  
READINESS TO RESTART STOPPED WORK, AND NEW WORK  
HAS BEGUN AND WILL CONTINUE OVER THE NEXT SEVERAL  
MONTHS**

## **READINESS REVIEWS**

- **A SYSTEMATIC DOCUMENTED REVIEW OF THE READINESS FOR STARTUP AND/OR CONTINUED INTENDED USE OF A FACILITY, PROCESS OR ACTIVITY**
  - **"HOLD" POINTS PRIOR TO PROCEEDING TO NEXT PHASE**
- **READINESS REVIEWS CURRENTLY IDENTIFIED FOR THE FOLLOWING BWIP ACTIVITIES:**
  - **RESTART OF STOPPED WORK**
  - **START OF LARGE HYDROLOGIC STRESS (LHS) TEST**
  - **START OF EXPLORATORY SHAFT (ES) DRILLING**
- **PARTIAL READINESS REVIEW PROCESS UTILIZED FOR RESTART OF STOPPED WORK ACTIVITIES**



# SWO RESTART PROCESS



## **OTHER TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY**

- **QUALITY CONCERNS HOTLINE**
- **QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**
- **CONTRACTOR TRANSITION ACTIVITIES**
  - **SUPPORT SERVICES CONTRACTOR**
  - **OPERATIONS CONTRACTOR**
- **CONTINUATION OF READINESS REVIEW ACTIVITIES**

# WHAT IS QUALITY

QUALITY IS FITNESS  
FOR THE INTENDED PURPOSE

# BEAUTY AND QUALITY

A DUNG BASKET IS BEAUTIFUL AND  
A GOLDEN SHIELD UGLY.....

IF THE ONE BE FITTED TO ITS PURPOSE WELL  
AND THE OTHER ILL.

QUALITY IS FITNESS FOR THE  
INTENDED PURPOSE

# HISTORY. OF QA

- PRIDE OF WORKMANSHIP
- PROFESSIONAL DEDICATION
- FEAR OF PENALTY

SIMPLE



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# QUALITY ASSURANCE ROOTS

- LONG HISTORY OF PROJECTS WITH DISASTROUS SURPRISES  
TYPE A: LEADING TO PROJECT CANCELLATION OR MAJOR RESCHEDULE  
TYPE B: EXPRESSED IN CATROSTROPHIC EVENTS
- ANALYSES OF CAUSES AND CHIEF CONTRIBUTING ERRORS ESTABLISHED UNVARYING LIST OF REPEAT OFFENDERS--  
INHERENT PROJECT RISKS

# **SOLUTION**

- **PREVENTIVE MEASURES DESIGNED FOR EACH OF THOSE INHERENT RISKS**
- **PREVENTIVE MEASURES ORGANIZED INTO FORMAL QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM**
- **BWIP QA PROGRAM -- PREVENTIVE MEASURES TAILORED TO FIT SITE CHARACTERIZATION**

# **BASIC GOALS**

- **TO PREVENT ANY OF THE INHERENT RISKS FROM MATERIALIZING**
- **IF A RISK MATERIALIZES, TO KEEP IT FROM HAVING ADVERSE CONSEQUENCES**



# PREVENTIVE MEASURES

- KNOW WHAT IS TO BE DONE V
- KNOW WHY E
- KNOW HOW R
- DO IT RIGHT I
- VERIFY THAT IT IS RIGHT F
- KEEP THE RECORDS NECESSARY Y  
TO MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO  
RECONSTRUCT THE ENTIRE CHAIN

# **BACK-UP MEASURES**

- **SCREENS AND CHECK-POINTS TO DETECT PROBLEMS BEFORE THEY CASCADE**
- **FIX PROBLEMS WHEN DETECTED**
- **ELIMINATE CAUSE (OR "DISARM" IT)**
- **FIND AND FIX ANY ADVERSE RESULTS THE PROBLEM MAY HAVE PRODUCED BEFORE IT WAS DETECTED**

# HISTORY OF QA (continued)

- INSPECTION
- ADDITIONAL TESTS AND CODES
  - FATIGUE TESTS: FROM AIRCRAFT FAILURES
  - FRACTURE TOUGHNESS: FROM BROKEN SHIPS
  - ASME CODES: FROM BOILER FAILURES
- MILITARY STANDARDS AND NASA



COMPLEX  
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# HISTORY OF QA - NUCLEAR

- AEC 10 CFR 50 - APPENDIX A (1967)
- ASLB ISSUES - ZION NUCLEAR PLAN HEARINGS
- 10 CFR 50 - APPENDIX B (1969)
- ANSI/ASME - N45.2 (1970)
- ANSI/ASME - NQA-1 (1979)  
- NQA-1 (1986)

**ANSI/ASME NQA-1  
BRIEF OVERVIEW**

**T. K. SUBRAMANIAN**

**QUALITY SYSTEMS DIVISION  
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# **NQA-1 REQUIREMENTS**

- 1. ORGANIZATION**
- 2. QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM**
- 3. DESIGN CONTROL**
- 4. PROCUREMENT DOCUMENT CONTROL**
- 5. INSTRUCTIONS, PROCEDURES  
AND DRAWINGS**
- 6. DOCUMENT CONTROL**
- 7. CONTROL OF PURCHASED ITEMS  
AND SERVICES**
- 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CONTROL  
OF ITEMS**
- 9. CONTROL OF PROCESSES**

# **NQA-1 REQUIREMENTS (continued)**

- 10. INSPECTION**
- 11. TEST CONTROL**
- 12. CONTROL OF MEASURING AND TEST  
EQUIPMENT**
- 13. HANDLING, STORAGE, AND SHIPPING**
- 14. INSPECTION, TEST AND  
OPERATING STATUS**
- 15. CONTROL OF NONCONFORMING ITEMS**
- 16. CORRECTIVE ACTION**
- 17. QUALITY ASSURANCE RECORDS**
- 18. AUDITS**

# **1. ORGANIZATION**

**THE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE, FUNCTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES, LEVELS OF AUTHORITY, AND LINES OF COMMUNICATION FOR ACTIVITIES AFFECTING QUALITY SHALL BE DOCUMENTED.**

**... SUCH PERSONS OR ORGANIZATIONS SHALL REPORT TO A MANAGEMENT LEVEL, SUCH THAT REQUIRED AUTHORITY AND ORGANIZATIONAL FREEDOM ARE PROVIDED, INCLUDING SUFFICIENT INDEPENDENCE FROM COST AND SCHEDULE CONSIDERATIONS.**



## **2. QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM**

**A DOCUMENTED QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM SHALL BE PLANNED, IMPLEMENTED, AND MAINTAINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS STANDARD, OR PORTIONS THEREOF. THE PROGRAM SHALL PROVIDE CONTROL OVER ACTIVITIES AFFECTING QUALITY TO AN EXTENT CONSISTENT WITH THEIR IMPORTANCE.**

**THE PROGRAM SHALL PROVIDE FOR INDOCTRINATION AND TRAINING, AS NECESSARY, OF PERSONNEL PERFORMING ACTIVITIES AFFECTING QUALITY TO ASSURE THAT SUITABLE PROFICIENCY IS ACHIEVED AND MAINTAINED.**

### **3. DESIGN CONTROL**

**THE DESIGN SHALL BE DEFINED, CONTROLLED AND VERIFIED. APPLICABLE DESIGN INPUTS SHALL BE APPROPRIATELY SPECIFIED ON A TIMELY BASIS AND CORRECTLY TRANSLATED INTO DESIGN DOCUMENTS. DESIGN ADEQUACY SHALL BE VERIFIED BY PERSONS OTHER THAN THOSE WHO DESIGNED THE ITEM. DESIGN CHANGES, SHALL BE GOVERNED BY CONTROL MEASURES COMMENSURATE WITH THOSE APPLIED TO THE ORIGINAL DESIGN.**

## **4. PROCUREMENT DOCUMENT CONTROL**

**APPLICABLE DESIGN BASES AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS NECESSARY TO ASSURE ADEQUATE QUALITY SHALL BE INCLUDED OR REFERENCED IN DOCUMENTS FOR PROCUREMENT OF ITEMS AND SERVICES. TO THE EXTENT NECESSARY PROCUREMENT DOCUMENTS SHALL REQUIRE SUPPLIERS TO HAVE A QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM CONSISTENT WITH THE APPLICABLE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS STANDARD.**

## **5. INSTRUCTIONS, PROCEDURES, AND DRAWINGS**

**ACTIVITIES AFFECTING QUALITY SHALL BE PRESCRIBED BY AND PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH DOCUMENTED INSTRUCTIONS, PROCEDURES, OR DRAWINGS OF A TYPE APPROPRIATE TO THE CIRCUMSTANCES. THESE DOCUMENTS SHALL INCLUDE OR REFERENCE APPROPRIATE QUANTITATIVE OR QUALITATIVE ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA FOR DETERMINING THAT PRESCRIBED ACTIVITIES HAVE BEEN SATISFACTORILY ACCOMPLISHED.**

## **6. DOCUMENT CONTROL**

**THE PREPARATION, ISSUE, AND CHANGE OF DOCUMENTS THAT SPECIFY QUALITY REQUIREMENTS OR PRESCRIBE ACTIVITIES AFFECTING QUALITY SHALL BE CONTROLLED TO ASSURE THAT CORRECT DOCUMENTS ARE BEING EMPLOYED. SUCH DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING CHANGES THERETO, SHALL BE REVIEWED FOR ADEQUACY AND APPROVED FOR RELEASE BY AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL.**

## **7. CONTROL OF PURCHASED ITEMS AND SERVICES**

**THE PROCUREMENT OF ITEMS AND SERVICES SHALL BE CONTROLLED TO ASSURE CONFORMANCE WITH SPECIFIED REQUIREMENTS. SUCH CONTROL SHALL PROVIDE FOR THE FOLLOWING AS APPROPRIATE: SOURCE EVALUATION AND SELECTION, EVALUATION OF OBJECTIVE EVIDENCE OF QUALITY FURNISHED BY THE SUPPLIER, SOURCE INSPECTION, AUDIT, AND EXAMINATION OF ITEMS OR SERVICES UPON DELIVERY OR COMPLETION.**

## **8. IDENTIFICATION AND CONTROL OF ITEMS**

**CONTROLS SHALL BE ESTABLISHED TO ASSURE THAT ONLY CORRECT AND ACCEPTED ITEMS ARE USED OR INSTALLED. IDENTIFICATION SHALL BE MAINTAINED ON THE ITEMS OR IN DOCUMENTS TRACEABLE TO THE ITEMS, OR IN A MANNER WHICH ASSURES THAT IDENTIFICATION IS ESTABLISHED AND MAINTAINED.**

## **9. CONTROL OF PROCESSES**

**PROCESSES AFFECTING QUALITY ITEMS OR SERVICES SHALL BE CONTROLLED. SPECIAL PROCESSES THAT CONTROL OR VERIFY QUALITY, SUCH AS THOSE USED IN WELDING, HEAT TREATING, AND NONDESTRUCTIVE EXAMINATION, SHALL BE PERFORMED BY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL USING QUALIFIED PROCEDURES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SPECIFIED REQUIREMENTS.**



# 10. INSPECTION

INSPECTIONS REQUIRED TO VERIFY CONFORMANCE OF AN ITEM OR ACTIVITY TO SPECIFIED REQUIREMENTS SHALL BE PLANNED AND EXECUTED. CHARACTERISTICS TO BE INSPECTED AND INSPECTION METHODS TO BE EMPLOYED SHALL BE SPECIFIED. INSPECTION RESULTS SHALL BE DOCUMENTED. INSPECTION FOR ACCEPTANCE SHALL BE PERFORMED BY PERSONS OTHER THAN THOSE WHO PERFORMED OR DIRECTLY SUPERVISED THE WORK BEING INSPECTED.

# 11. TEST CONTROL

TESTS REQUIRED TO VERIFY CONFORMANCE OF AN ITEM TO SPECIFIED REQUIREMENTS AND TO DEMONSTRATE THAT ITEMS WILL PERFORM SATISFACTORILY IN SERVICE SHALL BE PLANNED AND EXECUTED. CHARACTERISTICS TO BE TESTED AND TEST METHODS TO BE EMPLOYED SHALL BE DOCUMENTED AND THEIR CONFORMANCE WITH ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA SHALL BE EVALUATED.

TESTS REQUIRED TO COLLECT DATA, SUCH AS FOR SITING OR DESIGN INPUT, SHALL BE PLANNED, EXECUTED, DOCUMENTED, AND EVALUATED.

## **12. CONTROL OF MEASURING AND TEST EQUIPMENT**

**TOOLS, GAGES, INSTRUMENTS, AND OTHER MEASURING AND TEST EQUIPMENT USED FOR ACTIVITIES AFFECTING QUALITY SHALL BE CONTROLLED AND AT SPECIFIED PERIODS CALIBRATED AND ADJUSTED TO MAINTAIN ACCURACY WITHIN NECESSARY LIMITS.**

## **13. HANDLING, STORAGE, AND SHIPPING**

**HANDLING, STORAGE, CLEANING, PACKAGING,  
SHIPPING, AND PRESERVATION OF ITEMS  
SHALL BE CONTROLLED TO PREVENT DAMAGE OR  
LOSS AND TO MINIMIZE DETERIORATION.**

## **14. INSPECTION, TEST & OPERATING STATUS**

**THE STATUS OF INSPECTION AND TEST ACTIVITIES SHALL BE IDENTIFIED EITHER ON THE ITEMS OR IN DOCUMENTS TRACEABLE TO THE ITEMS WHERE IT IS NECESSARY TO ASSURE THAT REQUIRED INSPECTIONS AND TESTS ARE PERFORMED AND TO ASSURE THAT ITEMS WHICH HAVE NOT PASSED THE REQUIRED INSPECTIONS AND TESTS ARE NOT INADVERTENTLY INSTALLED, USED, OR OPERATED. THE AUTHORITY FOR APPLICATION AND REMOVAL OF TAGS, MARKINGS, LABELS, AND STAMPS SHALL BE SPECIFIED.**

## **15. CONTROL OF NONCONFORMING ITEMS**

**ITEMS THAT DO NOT CONFORM TO SPECIFIED REQUIREMENTS SHALL BE CONTROLLED TO PREVENT INADVERTENT INSTALLATION OR USE. CONTROLS SHALL PROVIDE FOR IDENTIFICATION, DOCUMENTATION, EVALUATION, SEGREGATION WHEN PRACTICAL, AND DISPOSITION OF NONCONFORMING ITEMS, AND FOR NOTIFICATION TO AFFECTED ORGANIZATIONS.**

## **16. CORRECTIVE ACTION**

**CONDITIONS ADVERSE TO QUALITY SHALL BE IDENTIFIED PROMPTLY AND CORRECTED AS SOON AS PRACTICAL. IN THE CASE OF A SIGNIFICANT CONDITION ADVERSE TO QUALITY, THE CAUSE OF THE CONDITION SHALL BE DETERMINED AND CORRECTIVE ACTION FOR SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS ADVERSE TO QUALITY SHALL BE DOCUMENTED AND REPORTED TO APPROPRIATE LEVELS OF MANAGEMENT; FOLLOW-UP ACTION SHALL BE TAKEN TO VERIFY IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS CORRECTIVE ACTION.**

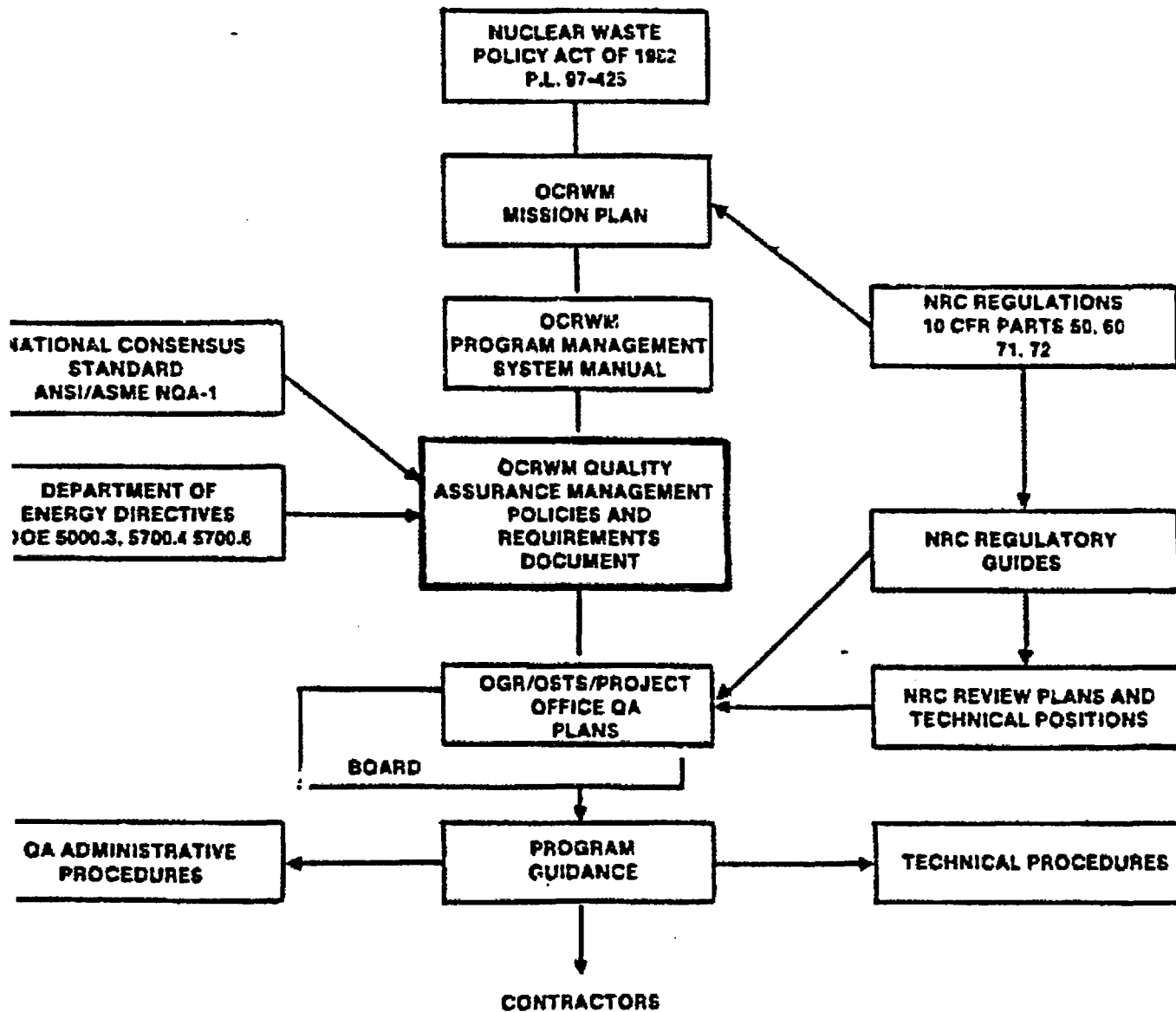
## **17. QUALITY ASSURANCE RECORDS**

**RECORDS THAT FURNISH DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE OF QUALITY SHALL BE SPECIFIED, PREPARED, AND MAINTAINED. RECORDS SHALL BE LEGIBLE, IDENTIFIABLE, RETRIEVABLE. RECORDS SHALL BE PROTECTED AGAINST DAMAGE, DETERIORATION, OR LOSS. REQUIREMENTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES FOR RECORD TRANSMITTAL, DISTRIBUTION, RETENTION, MAINTENANCE, AND DISPOSITIONS SHALL BE ESTABLISHED AND DOCUMENTED.**

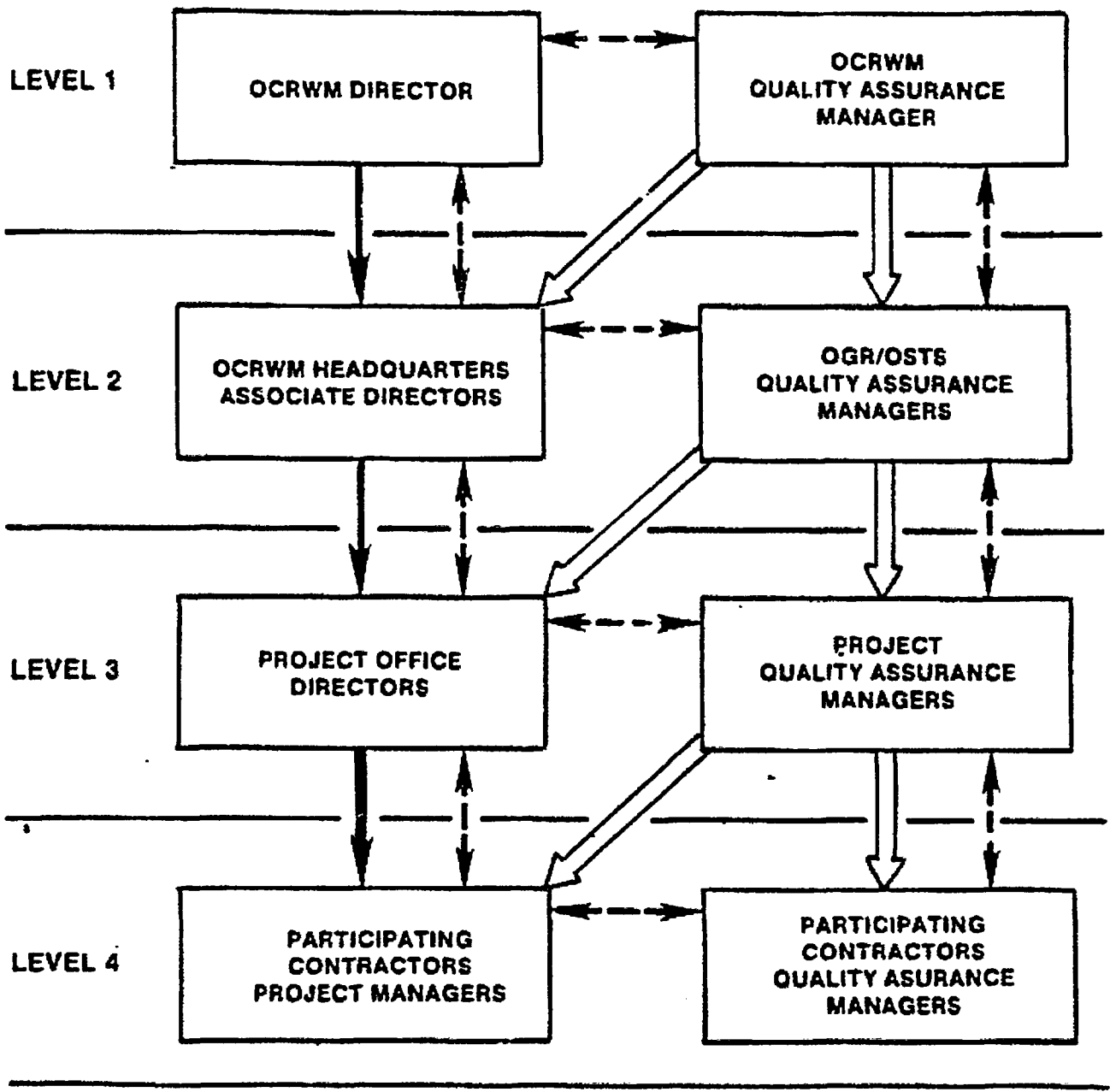



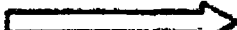

## **18. AUDITS**

**PLANNED AND SCHEDULED AUDITS SHALL BE PERFORMED TO VERIFY COMPLIANCE WITH ALL ASPECTS OF QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM AND TO DETERMINE ITS EFFECTIVENESS. THESE AUDITS SHALL BE PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH WRITTEN PROCEDURES OR CHECKLISTS BY PERSONNEL WHO DO NOT HAVE DIRECT RESPONSIBILITY FOR PERFORMING THE ACTIVITIES BEING AUDITED. AUDIT RESULTS SHALL BE DOCUMENTED AND REPORTED TO AND REVIEWED BY RESPONSIBLE MANAGEMENT. FOLLOW-UP ACTION SHALL BE TAKEN WHERE INDICATED.**



**GOVERNING DOCUMENTS**



-  MANAGEMENT DIRECTION
-  QUALITY ASSURANCE OVERVIEW
-  QUALITY ASSURANCE INFORMATION EXCHANGE

**QUALITY ASSURANCE MANAGEMENT DIRECTION  
OVERVIEW AND INFORMATION EXCHANGE**

Why do I have to have  
all the documents  
before I get into  
a project?

The game plan  
is in my head!



QA should follow  
Ballet Plan  
NOT Football  
Strategy

