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MEMORANDUM FOR: Jesse L. Funches, Director
Program Management, Policy Development
and Analysis Staff, NMSS

FROM: Joseph O. Bunting, Chief
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Division of High-Level Waste Management, NMSS

SUBJECT: FIN A4171-9, "EVALUATION AND COMPILATION OF DOE WASTE
PACKAGE TEST DATA"

This is to request that interim funding in the amount of \$131,000 be provided for the subject FIN from projected FY89 funds.

The current agreement expired September 30, 1988. The SOW for FY89 is being revised as per comments of the WMRG, basically to cover in more detail the relationship of work under this FIN with work being done at the CNWRA and to make clear there is no duplication of effort. Presuming approval by the WMRG, the SOW will then go before the SCRB. We hope to have their approval by the end of October.

The balance of funding for FY88 as of the end of July 1988 was \$136K, and it appears sufficient to cover outlays through the end of September 1988. The sum requested is 25% of the funding for FY89.

If you have any questions, please contact me or Chuck Peterson (x20531).

JS

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