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Subject: Review of report on "Grouting Efficiency in Vertical Shafts."

Dear Charles,

In response to your letter of September 2, 1986, the NRC has reviewed the subject report prepared by Engineers International, Inc. (EI) under contract with the Bureau of Mines (BOM). The report adequately addresses the areas listed in the contracted scope of work, and therefore, fulfills the contract requirement. The report sent for the NRC review was not yet reviewed by the BOM. Since this will be a BOM's report, and being a recognized expert in grouting, I understand that the BOM will be reviewing the technical contents of this report. The NRC review is focused on statements in the report concerning NRC's policy and role in the development of HLW repository, and a general review of technical contents of the report. Attachment No. 1 presents NRC's comments on this report, and Attachment No. 2 is the marked-up copy of the report. The revised final report should incorporate comments by both BOM and NRC.

If you have any questions on this, please call me at (FTS) 427-4629.

Sincerely,

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