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Waste Management
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
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Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Youngblood:

As requested by your staff, I am enclosing the DOE/HQ Audit Observation Reports for the following audits conducted in the last year:

- 1) Fenix and Scisson; Las Vegas, NV; Feb. 22 - Mar. 2, 1988
- 2) Pacific Northwest Laboratory's Material Characterization Center; Richland, WA; Feb. 23-26, 1988
- 3) Holmes and Narver; Las Vegas, NV; Mar. 28 - Apr. 1, 1988
- 4) U.S. Geological Survey; Menlo Park, CA; Apr. 26-28, 1988
- 5) U. S. Geological Survey; Nevada Test Site and Denver, CO; June 8-24, 1988
- 6) Sandia National Laboratory; Albuquerque, NM; Jul. 25 - Aug. 3, 1988.

If you have any questions on these audit reports please contact Ed Regnier of my staff on 586-4590 or Jay Jones in the Office of Quality Assurance on 586-1224.

Sincerely,

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