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Dear Mr. Thegerstrom:

SUBJECT: NEA QUESTIONNAIRE FOR SCENARIO CATALOGUE AND NEA WORKING GROUP ON
SCENARIO IDENTIFICATION AND SELECTION

In your letter of May 4, 1987 (reference EN/S/1000), you requested that all members of the Nuclear Energy Agency's (NEA's) Performance Assessment Advisory Group (PAAG) complete a questionnaire for a scenario catalogue that will serve as background for the PAAG's work on scenario identification and selection. You subsequently requested confirmation of Mr. R. Cranwell's (of Sandia National Laboratories) participation on the recently established NEA working group on scenario identification and selection.

In my capacity as NRC representative to the PAAG, I am now enclosing the NRC's contribution to the scenario catalogue: this consists of completed questionnaires for disposal systems in tuff, bedded-salt and basalt. The questionnaires were completed by Sandia National Laboratories on behalf of the NRC, and were reviewed by my performance assessment staff. Mr. Cranwell participated in drafting the replies to the questionnaires. Please note that the work described in the replies to the questionnaires was completed with the express aim of demonstrating a methodology; because some of the information used was hypothetical, the results obtained do not pertain directly to any actual repository site.

Although I am unable to confirm Mr. Cranwell's participation in the working group at this time, I hope to be able to do so within the next month or so.

Sincerely,

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