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SUBJECT: INTERMEDIATE MILESTONES: (i) 5702-002-100-007, CDS FOR THE POTENTIALLY ADVERSE CONDITION RELATED TO IGNEOUS ACTIVITY; (ii) 5702-002-100-009, CDS FOR THE POTENTIALLY ADVERSE CONDITION RELATED TO HIGHER MAGNITUDE EARTHQUAKES; (iii) 5702-002-100-010, CDS FOR THE POTENTIALLY ADVERSE CONDITION RELATED TO CORRELATION BETWEEN EARTHQUAKES AND TECTONICS.

Ref: (1) Sagar to McConnell Letter Dated November 30, 1992
 (2) Sagar to McConnell Letter Dated November 23, 1992

Dear Dr. Sagar:

I have reviewed the CNWRA requests (Refs. 1 & 2) to change the dates for Intermediate Milestones: (i) 5702-002-100-007, CDS for the Potentially Adverse Condition related to Igneous Activity, noted in Ref. 1 as being scheduled for October 30, 1992; (ii) 5702-002-100-009, CDS for the Potentially Adverse Condition related to Higher Magnitude Earthquakes, noted in Ref. 2 as being scheduled for October 30, 1992; and (iii) 5702-002-100-010, CDS for the Potentially Adverse Condition related to the Correlation Between Earthquakes and Tectonics, noted in Ref. 2 as being scheduled for September 30, 1992. Discussions between DHLWM management and the CNWRA have resolved that CDS-related Intermediate Milestones in FY93 will be scheduled for September 24, 1993, rather than the dates noted in the above referenced letters. As a result of these discussions, the revised dates noted in the above referenced letters do not apply and no action is necessary.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 504-2532.

Sincerely,

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