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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE IN REVIEW OF DOE'S
ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENTS (EAs)

I have reviewed your request for a senior staff member to participate in the "Readiness Review" of the environmental assessments (EAs) for the high-level waste geologic repositories. After a careful review of our current situation we have found that due to pressing programmatic obligations and the present staffing levels, all of our personnel who could make a positive contribution to your review are already fully committed to scheduled safeguards tasks. However, I do want to thank you for the opportunity to become involved in this very important issue.

Robert F. Burnett, Director
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