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March 24, 1987

Mr. Robert L. Johnson  
Division of Waste Management  
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Johnson:

*Robert*

Upon review of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's comments on the Department of Energy's Final Environmental Assessment of Deaf Smith County, Texas, we were dismayed to notice that the NRC apparently does not consider retrievability to still be a major issue of concern for the Deaf Smith site. The Nuclear Waste Programs Office considers retrievability to be among the high priority licensing issues of concern for the Deaf Smith site.

We would appreciate information and documentation, at your earliest convenience, detailing the reasons for the NRC staff conclusion regarding retrievability as expressed in the EA review. Thank you for your attention to this information request.

Sincerely,

*Steve Frishman*

Steve Frishman, Director  
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