

December 15, 2003

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SUBJECT: MEETING SUMMARY FOR THE NOVEMBER 12, 2003, NRC/DOE  
QUARTERLY QUALITY ASSURANCE MEETING

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If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Thomas Matula of my staff at (301) 415-6700.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: QA Meeting Summary

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