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E. B. Ash	J. H. LaRue SHLY	8:15 a.m. 12/21/83
F. R. Coók	P. F. Salter	☐ Incoming 🛣 Outgoing
J. Mecca	M. J. Smith	With P. Salter, K. Hadley, J. Bazemore DOE - J. Mecca, P. Lamont
L. R. Fitch	D. A. Turner	Representing Rockwell - BWIP
R. J. Gimera	R. J. Wright	B. Wright, D. Brooks, M. Nataraja
	File/LB/Rec. Retn. (2)	Representing NRC
nmitment Made X Yes	□ No Geod	chemistry & Repository Design
(A) To confirm a final agen	da for the January 9-12, 1984	, Geochemistry Workshop with the NRC.
(B) Discuss the feasibility	of postponing the January 23	3-27, 1984, Repository Design Workshop.
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(A) (1) The Basalt Waste Is	solation Project (BWIP) revie	wed the proposed Geochemistry Workshop
with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC). Both groups felt all the major items were		
covered. The NRC will	confirm the agenda upon recei	pt.
(2) The NRC indicated	that at a minimum the followi	ng NRC/NRC Consultants will attend:
B. Wright, P. Justice on	M. Knapp, J. Starmer, D. Ke	lmers, J. Blenle, and D. Alexander.
B. Wright indicated some	e members would like to arran	ge a tour of the Geochemistry
facilities. This was to	entatively arranged for Janua	ry 13, 1984. The NRC would provide
a list of names and social security numbers for clearance.		
(3) The NRC would forward shortly their data needs as they relate to Geochemistry.		
This will be coordinated	with the concurrent Hydrolo	gy/Geohydrology data review/briefing.
(B) (1) The BWIP informed the NRC that the current state of repository design activities		
could not support a form	nal workshop until the end of	March 1984.
(2) The NRC suggested a "data gathering visit" be held instead to include:		
(a) Review of nume	erical models and codes, thei	r current status, the code valida-
tion process,	and a quality assurance appl	ication.
(b) Review of design information and specifications which will appear in the		
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- (c) Review of data collection including in situ testing (hydraulic fracturing) and Near Surface Test Facility testing.
- (d) Observe any on-going testing which might be in progress.
- (3) The BWIP indicated it might be able to support a <u>limited</u>

 NRC information gathering visit in January, if necessary, but would prefer any data review be combined with the late March/early April workshop. The NRC will reconsider the necessity and scope of a "visit" and get back to DOE with further suggestions.