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Mr. Joseph O. Bunting
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RE: NRC/DOE Letters referenced at 6/13/84 BWIP/NRC Hydrology Workshop

Dear Mr. Bunting:

At the BWIP Hydrology Workshop which took place in Gaithersburg on June 12 and 13, one item of discussion on the agenda (attached) was

DISCUSSION OF ITEMS CONTAINED IN THE NRC/DOE LETTERS DATED 11/4/83, 3/2/84, 3/9/84, 4/6/84, AND 5/24/84, AND FUTURE PLANS TO DEAL WITH THE COMMENTS CONTAINED.

Dr. Vietchau V. Nguyen, of EWA, a technical consultant to the Yakima Indian Nation who attended the workshop for the Yakimas, has asked to see the referenced letters. We would appreciate it if you could arrange to have copies of them sent to him at EWA, 12800 Industrial Park Blvd., Minneapolis, MN 55441.

We appreciate your prompt responses to our earlier information requests. Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

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BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT PRESENTATION TO
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION ON
BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT
HYDROLOGIC CHARACTERIZATION PLANS/STATUS

JUNE 12-13, 1984

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1984

8:00 - 12:00 (BREAK 10:00) - OVERALL STRATEGY FOR FUTURE TESTING — BWIP

- o HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT AND EVOLUTION OF GROUNDWATER LEVEL BASELINE AND HYDRAULIC TESTING STRATEGY.
- o MAJOR ISSUES TO BE RESOLVED BY FUTURE TESTING
- o DECISION LOGIC FOR FUTURE DATA COLLECTION
- o DISCUSSION OF OBSERVATIONS OF DRAWDOWN AT DB-14 DURING DRILLING OF DC-19C, DC-20C, AND DC-22C
- o OPEN DISCUSSION — NRC/BWIP

12:00 - 1:00 - LUNCH

1:00 - 3:00 - GROUNDWATER LEVEL BASELINES — BWIP

- o NEW FACILIITES FOR DATA COLLECTION
- o RRL GROUNDWATER LEVEL MONITORING
- o REGIONAL MONITORING PROGRAM (USGS)
- o CRITERIA FOR BASELINE ESTABLISHMENT

3:00 - 3:15 - BREAK

3:15 - 5:00 - OPEN DISCUSSION

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 1984

8:00 - 9:00	COMPARISON OF BWIP PLANS WITH NRC POSITION PAPER 1.1 0 OVERVIEW OF PROGRAM ELEMENTS AND SCHEDULE FOR IMPLEMENTATION 0 PROGRAM CHANGES SINCE JULY 1983 0 DISCUSSION OF SPECIFIC TOPICS IN POSITION PAPER 1.1	BWIP
9:00 - 12:00	DISCUSSION AND DEVELOPMENT OF UPDATED UNDERSTANDING OF THE BWIP HYDROLOGIC TESTING APPROACH AS IT RELATES TO START OF THE EXPLORATORY SHAFT	NRC/BWIP
12:00	LUNCH	
1:00 - 2:00	DISCUSSION OF ITEMS CONTAINED IN THE NRC/DOE LETTERS DATED 11/4/83, 3/2/84, 3/9/84, 4/6/84, AND 5/24/84, AND FUTURE PLANS TO DEAL WITH THE COMMENTS CONTAINED.	
2:00 - 3:00	COMMENTS BY OTHER PARTICIPANTS INCLUDING THE USGS, STATE OF WASHINGTON, AND AFFECTED INDIAN TRIBES.	
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