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Mr. Nicholas D. Lewis, Chairman
 Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council
 Mail Stop PY-11
 Olympia, WA 98504



Dear Mr. Lewis:

As discussed by telephone on the 12th, we plan to call at your office about 11:00 a.m. on May 21st. Based on our conversation as to what might be useful to the state at this stage, we are preparing a briefing keyed to the policy-making state officials you mentioned. We will be prepared to discuss the licensing procedures for a high-level waste repository, and the opportunities for state involvement in this process. The focus will be on the Site Characterization Report, which we expect to receive this fall for the project at the Hanford Reservation.

In addition to Hubert Miller, Rob MacDougall and myself, I expect to have Ronald Uleck with us. All are members of NRC's Division of Waste Management.

We look forward to this opportunity for discussion with you and your associates.

Sincerely,

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Robert J. Wright,
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