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(High-Level Waste Repository: Pre-Application Matters)
Docket No. PAPO-00, ASLBP No. 04-829-01-PAPO

Dear Administrative Judges:

By letter dated October 25, 2004, Staff counsel advised you that the Commission had blocked public access to all documents on ADAMS, including, among other things, the High-Level Waste Electronic Hearing Docket and the NRC staff's document collection on the Licensing Support Network. This temporary action was taken to enable the NRC Staff to review all documents and remove sensitive unclassified information.

This is to inform you that on November 3, 2004, public access to the High-Level Waste Electronic Hearing Docket and to the Staff's document collection on the Licensing Support Network was restored.

Sincerely,

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