

 NATIONAL ENRICHMENT FACILITY

ENERGY INDEPENDENCE FOR AMERICA

**LES National Enrichment Facility
NRC Management Meeting**

Rockville, Maryland
December 12, 2006



Action Items

None from May 23, 2006 Meeting



License Status

- License issued June 23, 2006
- NIRS/PC filed petition for review of agency decision August 14, 2006 with DC Court of Appeals
- Statement outlining issues that NIRS/PC intend to raise filed September 28, 2006
- Parties awaiting further briefing schedule from Court



LES Organization

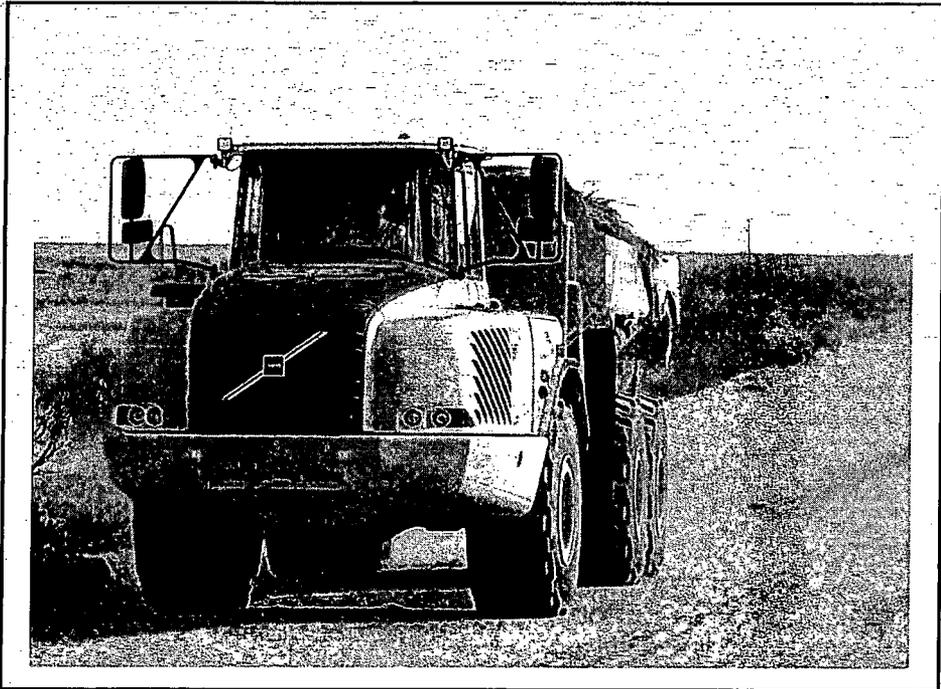
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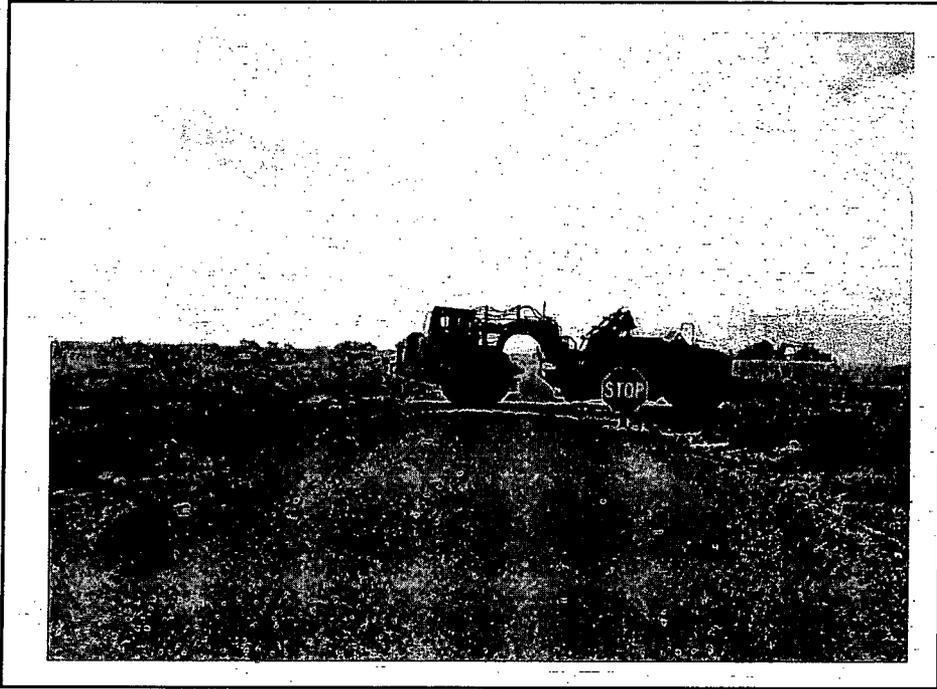
- President, CEO
Reinhard Hinterreither
- Chief Financial Officer
Tony King
- Vice President, Chief Nuclear Officer
John Swailes
- Vice President, Project Management (acting)
Dick Frazar

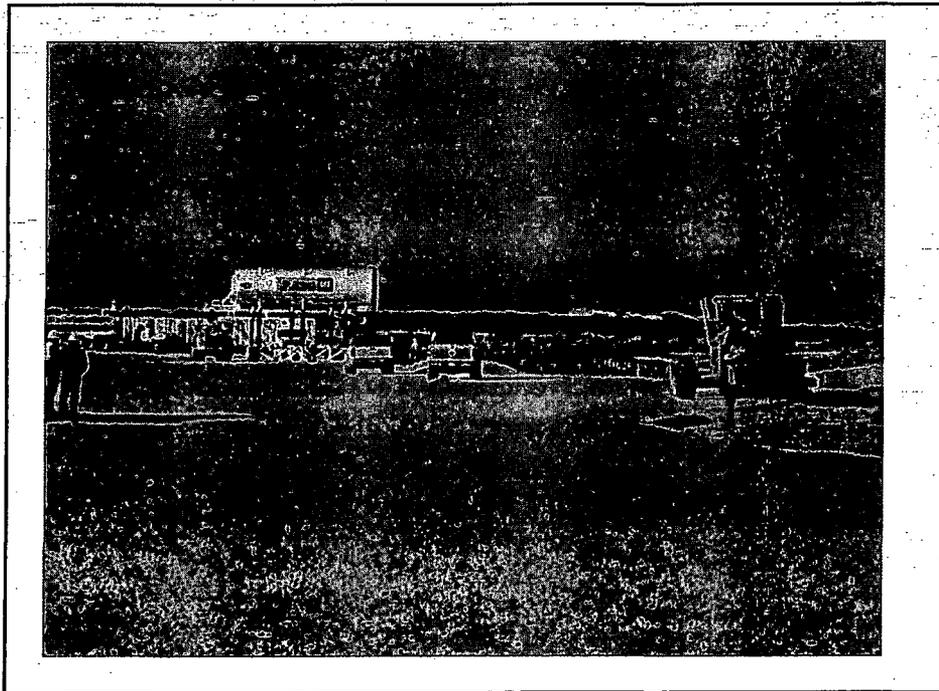
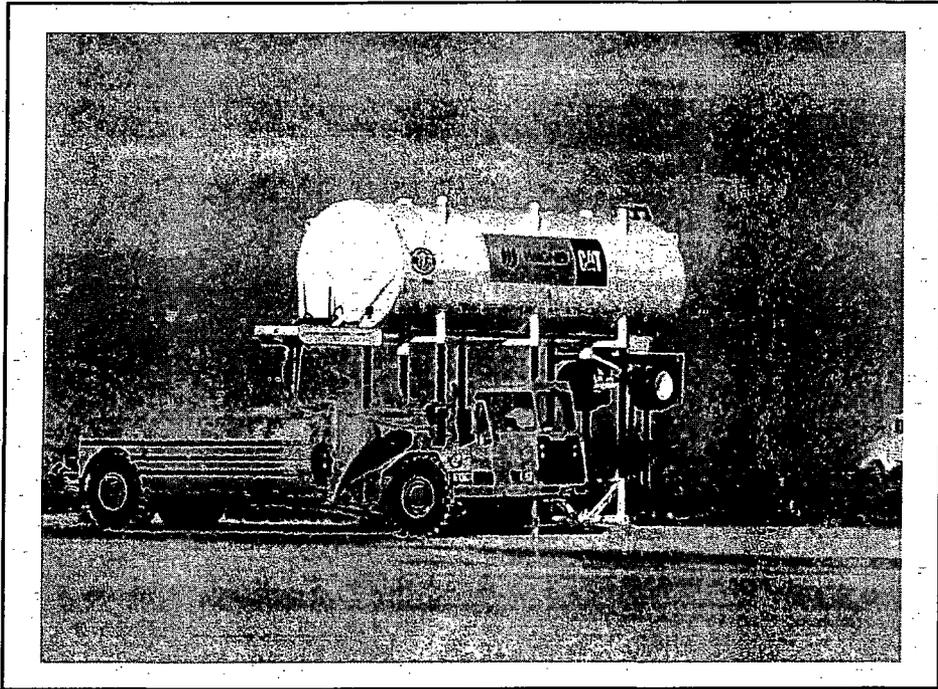


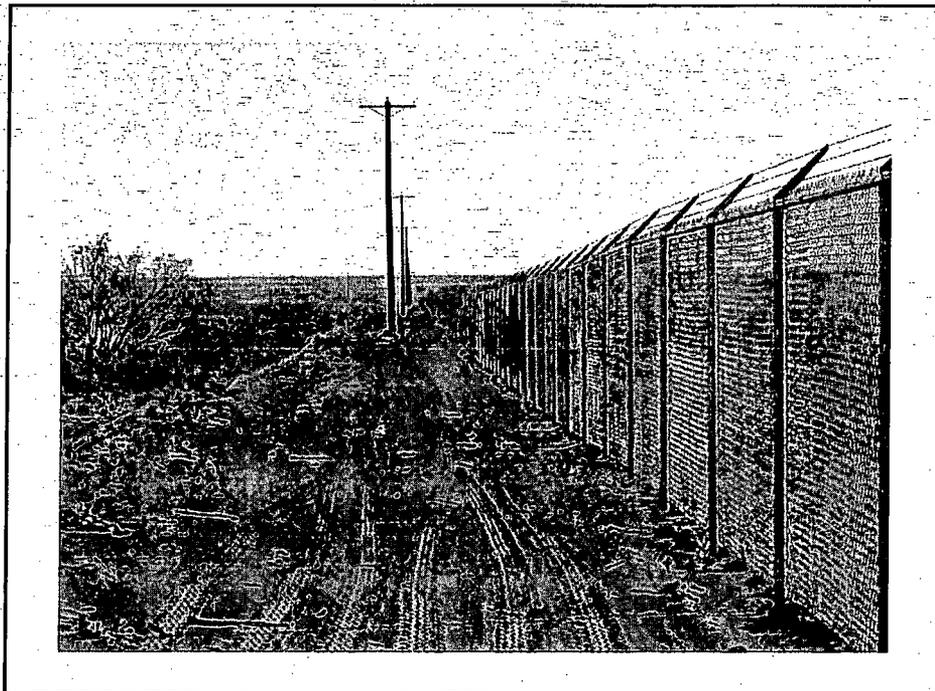
LES Construction

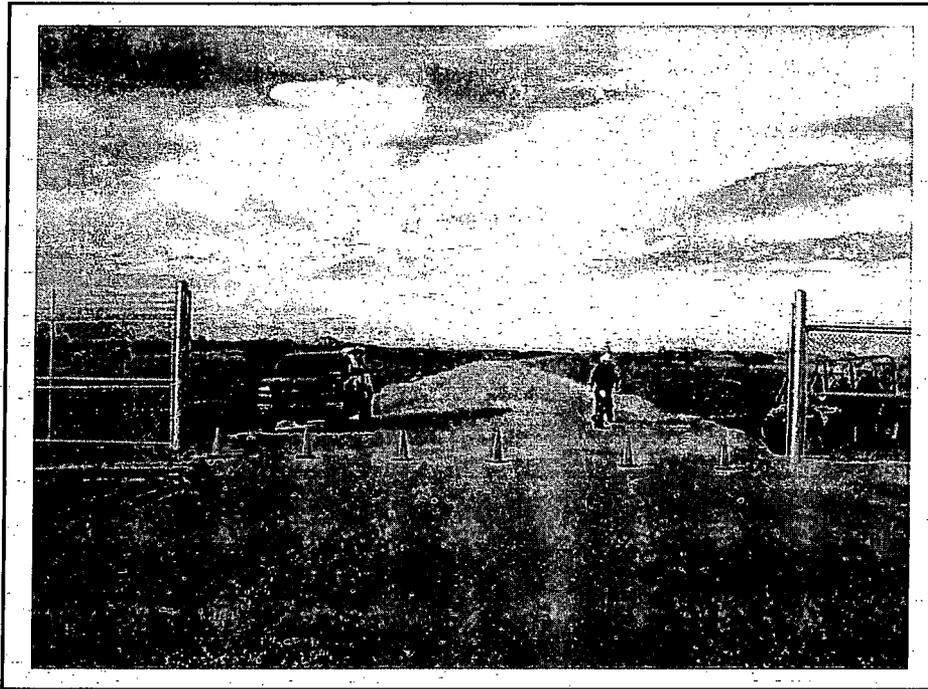
- Construction began in August
- Procedures and practices in place to perform work that is underway
- Construction infrastructure in place
- First Quality Level 1 activities underway (backfill for seismically qualified structure foundations)











NEF Operations

- **Key Operating Organization Positions Filled**
 - over 70 employees
 - about 20 facility operators in training
- **Configuration Management Process in place**
- **Safety Review Committee Functional**
- **Working with European Counterparts**
- **Oversight of Facility Construction**
- **Supporting Acceptance Testing**
- **Actively Participating in Industry Groups**



Looking Ahead

Construction

- Site excavation and backfill
- Concrete Batch Plant qualification
- Foundations and Building Construction
- Continue Installing Utilities and Services



Looking Ahead (continued)

Inspection Coordination

- Continuing to work with Region II
 - QA Inspection
 - at Engineering Offices Oct. 31 – Nov. 2
 - Continues on-site in NM this week
 - Geotechnical/Foundation Activities
 - QA Inspection planned for January 2007
- NRC trailer available late December 2006



Looking Ahead (continued)

Security Issues

- Personnel Clearances
- Facility Clearances
- Export Controlled Information
- Movement/Transportation Plan
- Multi-national Issues

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Feedback

- Good Cooperation
- Good Communications
- Continued Attention Needed
 - Personnel Clearances
(including subcontractors)
 - International Coordination
 - Inspection Coordination