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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF THE MARCH 25, 2008, U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY
COMMISSION AND U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY QUARTERLY
MANAGEMENT MEETING

Dear Dr. Boyle:

Enclosed is the summary of the March 25, 2008, public Quarterly Management Meeting between the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and the U.S. Department of Energy (Enclosure 1). The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the status of various management and programmatic issues concerning a proposed high-level waste repository at Yucca Mountain, Nevada. The agenda for this meeting can be found in Enclosure 2. Enclosure 3 contains the list of attendees who were present at the above noted locations, and Enclosure 4 contains the set of presentations that were given at the meeting.

The meeting was held at NRC Las Vegas Hearing Facility in Las Vegas, Nevada. Some members of the public participated via videoconferencing to NRC Headquarters in Rockville, Maryland, the Center for Nuclear Waste Regulatory Analyses in San Antonio, Texas, and the Region IV Office in Arlington, Texas, and others participated via teleconference.

If you have any questions regarding the meeting summary, please contact Brian Benney at (301) 492-3193 or by e-mail at BrianBenney@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "L. S. Kokajko", with a horizontal line extending to the right.

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Enclosures:

1. Summary
2. Agenda
3. List of Attendees
4. Presentations

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