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RE: Availability of the draft cultural resource sections for the proposed Jane Dough unit at the Nicholas Ranch In Situ Uranium Recovery project in Johnson and Campbell Counties, Wyoming, Source Materials License Number SUA-1597 (Docket Number 040-09067)

Dear Consultant:

On behalf of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes, thank you for the notice of the referenced project. I have reviewed your Consultation request under section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act regarding the project proposal and commented as follows:

At this time, it is determined to be categorized as **No Properties**; however, if at any time during the project implementation inadvertent discoveries are made that reflect evidence of human remains, ceremonial or cultural objects, historical sites such as stone rings, burial mounds, village or battlefield artifacts, please cease work in area of discovery and notify the THPO Office within 72 hours.

In addition, if inadvertent discoveries are made; pursuant to Title 36 Code of Federal Regulation Part 800.13, as amended; you will also be required to make arrangements for a professional archaeologist to visit the site of discovery and assess the potential significance of any artifacts or features that were unearth. If needed, we will contact the Tribes NAGPRA representatives.

Please contact me at (405) 422-7484 or [vrichey@c-a-tribes.org](mailto:vrichey@c-a-tribes.org), if you have any questions or concerns. Alternate contact is Micah Demery; she can be reached directly at (405) 422-7416 or [mdemery@c-a-tribes.org](mailto:mdemery@c-a-tribes.org). Thank you again for your notification!

Best Regards,

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