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Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Dr. Morris:

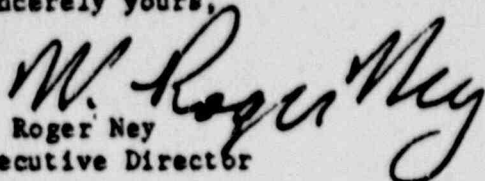
This letter is in response to your July 18, 1989 letter to me. Following our meeting at NCRP on July 20, 1989, Dr. Sinclair wrote to you about his interest in your suggestion of exploring means to facilitate interchange of ideas on areas of common interest. I support such an interchange and I look forward to any suggestions you might have.

As was indicated during our July 20, 1989 meeting, NCRP is trying to meet the September 30, 1989 date for completion of task 6 of the contract. The committee chairman expects, prior to September 30, 1989, to have completed minor changes to the content of the report previously approved by the Council (Revision 3, June 1988) such that the seven (7) considerations mentioned in your letter of July 18, 1989 are addressed, in so far as possible, without vitiating the Council's approval. The estimated time for putting the report through the printing process is 3 to 4 months. Therefore, it is currently anticipated that the printed report will be available approximately in January 1990.

You may recall from our July 20, 1989 meeting, that the NCRP is willing to undertake further study of the hot particle problem such as worker exposures from particles in the eye or on the ear drum and public exposures to hot particles. The NCRP would be pleased to receive additional information concerning these special potential problems associated with hot particles.

It is requested that the current contract be extended through December 31, 1989, at no additional cost, so that additional effort by NCRP on hot particles may be done as tasks added to the existing contract.

Sincerely yours,


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Executive Director

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