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In reply please refer to:

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Mr. Richard Bangart
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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Dick:

I am enclosing two draft copies of the final report on the deminimus task: "On Site disposal of Solid Low-Level Reactor Wastes." This generally follows the outline we discussed during my visit with you last year. It develops, I believe, a potentially useful method for assessing the long-term impacts of this disposal option.

You will notice I have avoided any discussions of "acceptable" or "unacceptable" exposures (except for one case in the final discussion section), and also have avoided even a hint of the regulatory/licensing aspects of on-site disposal. It seems to me that these are internal concerns of the NRC, and do not belong in this sort of report. On the other hand, the exclusion of these matters, particularly the latter, may create the impression that we believe no problem exists. What would you suggest?

We will appreciate your comments regarding this report, and will prepare final copy upon your approval.

Sincerely,

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