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MEMORANDUM FOR: Donald A. Nussbaumer
Assistant Director for State Agreement Programs
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FROM: R. Dale Smith, Chief
Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch
Division of Waste Management
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

SUBJECT: TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR COLORADO

By letter dated June 16, 1982 to Robert Doda, Region IV Liaison Officer, the State of Colorado requested Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch technical assistance in evaluating an expected application for a low-level waste disposal facility. As you are aware, we did not receive the letter until July 29, 1982. In view of this, a timely response to Colorado is urgent. Please forward the enclosed response affirming our willingness to provide assistance and outlining measures to expedite the process for Mr. Doda's signature and dispatch as soon as possible.

Original Signed by
R. DALE SMITH

R. Dale Smith, Chief
Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch
Division of Waste Management
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Enclosure:
Letter to Colorado
Department of Health

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Mr. W. Jacobi, Section Chief
Radiation Control Division
Colorado Department of Health
4210 East 11th Avenue
Denver, Colorado 80220

Dear Mr. Jacobi:

In your letter to me dated June 16, 1982, you requested technical assistance in evaluating an expected application for a low-level waste disposal facility. The Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch is prepared to provide such assistance and looks forward to working with you on the project.

As you indicated in your letter, timely responses will be required. The Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch recognizes this need and suggested the following measures to expedite the exchange of information and review process:

1. Colorado should continue to provide all relevant information as soon as it becomes available as your letter suggests.
2. All information, application documents, etc., should be provided directly to the Chief, Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555.
3. All Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch responses will be sent directly to you.
4. Both you and the Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch should provide copies of the transmittal letters, but not enclosures, to me and the Office of State Programs to keep us informed. The Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch will take care of any distribution of enclosures needed inside NRC.

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- 5. Chem-Nuclear should be asked to provide documents directly to the Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch at the same time they are submitted to you. Such direct correspondence will further help to minimize time delays

These measures for direct communication should minimize delays. Any time I can be of help, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Robert J. Doda
Region IV Liaison Officer

cc: G. Wayne Kerr, SP
R. Dale Smith, WMLL, NMSS

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