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SUBJECT:

REVIEW OF THE OPERATIONS PLAN FOR THE WASTE SOLIDIFICATION

SYSTEMS FOR FY 94-95, REVISION 3, CHANGE 2

I have reviewed the revisions to the Operations Plan for the Waste Solidification Systems for FY 94-95 and find them acceptable. The changes to the due dates in the revised plan were previously approved during the review of the Program Manager's Periodic Reports. Changes in costs are a result of reduced work because of delays in receiving submittals from the Department of Energy (DOE).

NRC expects to receive all reports regarding Task 3 by the end of April 1994, so that the Center for Nuclear Waste Regulatory Analysis (CNWRA) should be able to meet its rescheduled submittal date. NRC also expects to receive a draft Safety Analysis Report (SAR) in support of Task 2 in May 1994 and will likely schedule a date for Major Milestone 002010-500 in January 1995. Other intermediate milestones deliverable in FY 94 may be implemented after receipt of the SAR to assist CNWRA in meeting the major milestone delivery date.

If you have any questions, please call me at 504-2667.

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