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> MEMORANDUM FOR: John B. Martin, Director Division of Waste Management

FROM:

1: Ross A. Scarano, Chief Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch Division of Waste Management

SUBJECT: STATUS REPORT - DOE URANIUM MILL TAILINGS REMEDIAL ACTION PROGRAM (UMTRAP) (JUNE 1, 1982 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1982) (331313)

During the subject period, the following significant actions were taken by the WMUR staff to execute NRC responsibilities to participate, review, and concur in DOE's conduct of the UMTRAP:

- Provided comments on the June, 1982 DOE Final Remedial Action Concept Paper (RACP) for the Salt Lake City, UT UMTRAP Vitro processing site. (September 9, 1982 letter from Scarano to Campbell.)
- Provided comments on the August, 1982 DOE Final RACP for the Durango, CO UMTRAP processing site. (September 9, 1982 letter from Scarano to Campbell.)
- 3. Provided comments on the Draft RACP for the Shiprock, NM processing site. (September 20, 1982 letter from Scarano to Campbell.)
- 4. Concurred in the designation of additional Salt Lake City vicinity properties. (September 20, 1982 letter from Scarano to Mott.)
- 5. Met with DOE and DOE contractors for the UMTRAP Technology Steering Committee presentations and the Technology Task Group Subcommittee meetings during the week of July 12, 1982 in Salt Lake City, UT. Discussed the DOE budget allocation for FY-1983 research and the status of DOE-sponsored R&D projects on remedial action alternatives. (August 30, 1982 memo to files from Gnugnoli.)

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- 6. Provided comments on the DOE Preliminary Draft Environmental Impact Statement (PDEIS) for the Vitro processing site. (Although the comment letter is not yet completed it is anticipated that it will be issued prior to the end of this reporting period.)
- Provided input to the FY-1982 UMTRAP Annual Status Report to 7. Congress. (September 20, 1982 letter from Scarano to Campbell.)

In addition to these documented actions, the WMUR staff has continued to maintain close contact with DOE on the UMTRAP program.

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