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SUBJECT: Transmittal of Safety Analysis Report (SAR) for Fuel Receiving and Storage Facility, WVNS-SAR-012, Revision 0, Draft C

REFERENCE: Letter WD:96:0747 (0554:95:10), T. G. Weiss to T. J. Rowland,
"WVNS-SAR-012, Rev. 0, Draft C," dated October 4, 1996

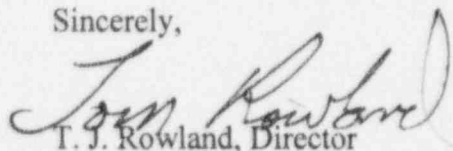
Dear Mr. Comfort:

Enclosed for your review is one copy of the Safety Analysis Report for Fuel Receiving and Storage Facility, WVNS-SAR-012, Revision 0, Draft C. Two additional copies of the document are being sent to Mr. Tschoepe at Southwest Research Institute per your request.

The review schedule that was discussed between you and Bryan Bower of my staff indicates that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) will begin reviewing this SAR upon receipt and will provide any comments or questions to the DOE West Valley Demonstration Project (DOE-WV) by November 4, 1996. DOE-WV will respond to any comments/questions in a manner similar to our responses to the Request for Additional Information on WVNS-SAR-001. Following satisfactory resolution of any open issues, NRC will provide a Safety Evaluation Report on WVNS-SAR-012 to DOE-WV by December 18, 1996. This schedule will facilitate a January 1997 approval of WVNS-SAR-012 by the DOE Ohio Field Office.

If DOE-WV can be of assistance in this review process or if you have any questions, please contact Bryan Bower at (716) 942-4368.

Sincerely,


T. J. Rowland, Director
West Valley Demonstration Project

Enclosure: Subject Document

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