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NUCLEAR ENERGY LOW-LEVEL WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM, TRANSMITTAL OF DOE/LLW 13Tg REV. 1 FOR PEER REVIEW - CBO-84-89

Dear Mr. Starmer:

Enclosed are three copies of the draft document "Environmental Monitoring for Low-Level Waste Disposal Sites," DOE/LLW 13Tg Rev. 1, for your review and comment. The document, which was published initially in 1983, has been revised to reflect current regulations from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Environmental Protection Agency, and the Department of Energy. The document is intended to provide guidance on environmental monitoring for both commercial and Department of Energy low-level waste disposal facilities.

The peer review of this document should focus on both technical accuracy and usefulness to the customer. I would appreciate any and all comments that you or your staff can provide. Comments should be sent to me no later than May 12, 1989.

Thank you very much for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Julie Tullis of my staff at (208) 526-0266.

Very truly yours,

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