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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Public Comments on the Los Alamos National Laboratory
Draft Federal Facility Compliance Agreement

FROM: Allyn M. Davis, Director *Allyn M Davis*
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TO: Thomas L. McCall, Jr.
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The Draft Federal Facility Compliance Agreement (FFCA) for Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) was approved by Department of Energy (DOE) Headquarters on July 19, 1993. As stipulated by the FFCA, the document was submitted to a 30 day public comment period beginning on July 30, 1993. At the request of the New Mexico Environment Department, Los Alamos Study Group, Concerned Citizens for Nuclear Safety, and Pueblo de San Ildefonso, the comment period was extended until Friday, September 10, 1993.

Comments were received from the following sources:

New Mexico Environment Department
Concerned Citizens for Nuclear Safety
Pueblo de San Ildefonso

J.G. Beery
Bonnie Bonneau
Thomas B. French

Los Alamos Study Group

The Region is drafting a response to the comments *in toto*, and each commenter will receive a copy of the final response. A deadline for release of a final response has been set for December 1, 1993.

Concomitant with the release of the Region's final response to public comments, the Draft FFCA will be modified if necessary, and returned to the Los Alamos Area DOE Office for signature. After the document has been signed by Los Alamos DOE, it will be returned for my signature and issuance by the Region.

If you have any questions or require further information, please contact me or have your staff contact Joel Dougherty of my staff at (214) 655-2281.



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