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Dear Dr. Kelley:

In response to your request for information on the transuranic waste shipment to Los Alamos from the Pantex facility near Amarillo, Texas, the enclosed documentation provides evidence that the transuranic waste shipment has been adequately characterized to preclude both hazardous and mixed wastes.

In regard to future shipments, DOE/AL will inform you of all consolidation shipments and will provide characterization data upon request.

If you have any further questions or concerns, please contact Mona Williams, of my staff, at 505-845-5405.

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