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Date: January 17, 2001
Refer to: ESH-19-01-002

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Dear Mr. Bearzi:

SUBJECT: Los Alamos National Laboratory Permitting Schedule

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with the latest update of the permit schedule (see the attached chart). Please note that the response to the Request for Additional Information for the General Part B has been pushed out two additional weeks. This is a result of a request for additional time by the Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) personnel. The amount and detail of the information requested as well as additional time for processing at LANL may require this extension. If that time is not required LANL will submit its response earlier.

Please note that the critical path remains the review of the LANL response to the second request for supplemental information submitted September 20, 2000 for the TA-16 chapter of the permit.

In reviewing the New Mexico Environment Department web page LANL staff noted that the "Strategic Plan for Fiscal Year 02" calls for the public notice of the LANL permit as an objective in FY 01. Assuming the state FY this objective will be difficult to meet. Assuming the federal FY there is still a good chance of meeting this objective.

Originally, the joint NMED and LANL objective was to have a permit public noticed in July 2000. With the realization that the corrective action chapter was needed to make a complete permit, and the change of permit writers on the General Chapter of the permit, that projected date has been revised. TA-16 was identified as the first Technical Area (TA) to be permitted and therefore is on the critical path. LANL has continued working on revisions to the TA-50 chapter. That revision will be submitted to NMED later this month. LANL will not work on any additional TAs for several reasons. LANL is concerned that any work on other chapters will be negated due to the passage of time prior to those chapters being processed. LANL also does not want to spread the limited



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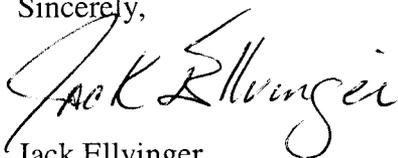
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NMED resources so thin that permit writers are juggling more items than they can process.

The definition of "unit" remains unresolved. LANL understands that NMED is working on this issue and wishes to work with NMED either through the development of the definition or through a change in regulations to clarify the term or by any other means. LANL stands ready to participate in these activities in support of NMED. Please inform us of any such opportunities.

If you should have any questions or concerns regarding this letter, please feel free to contact me at 667-0633.

Sincerely,



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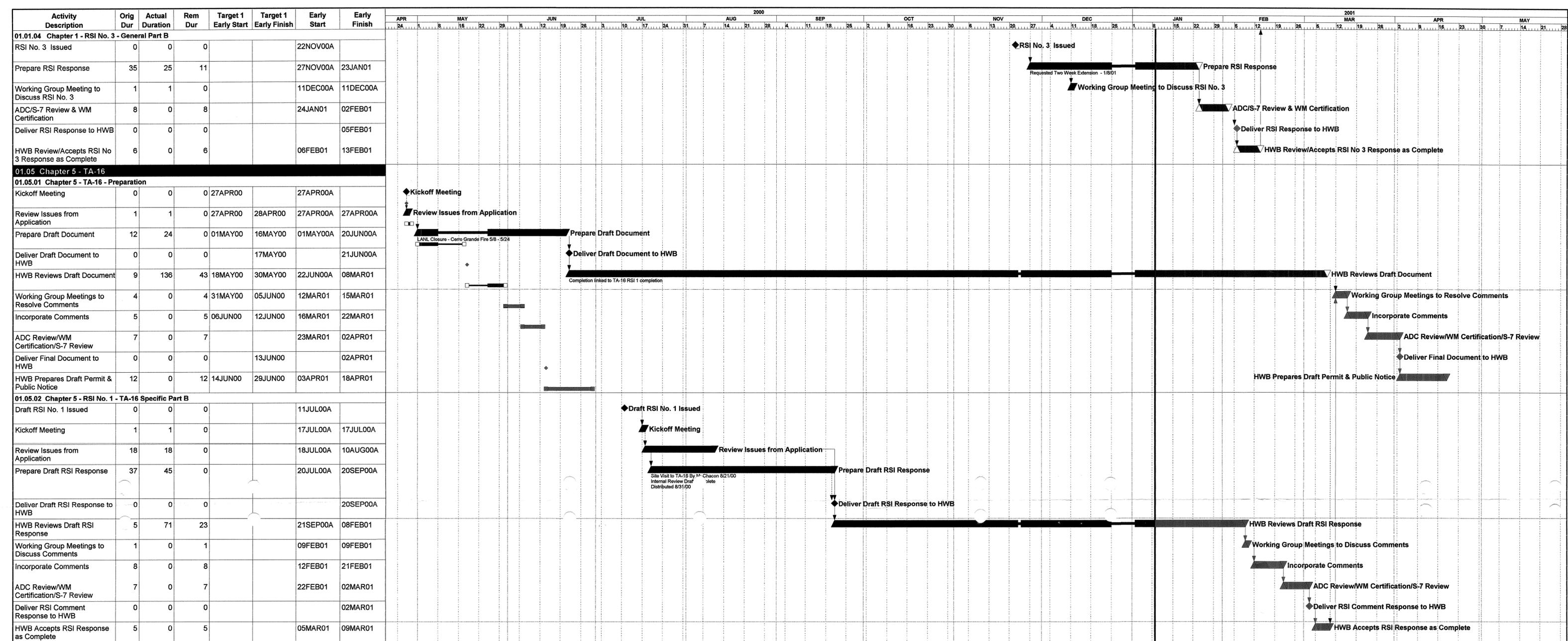
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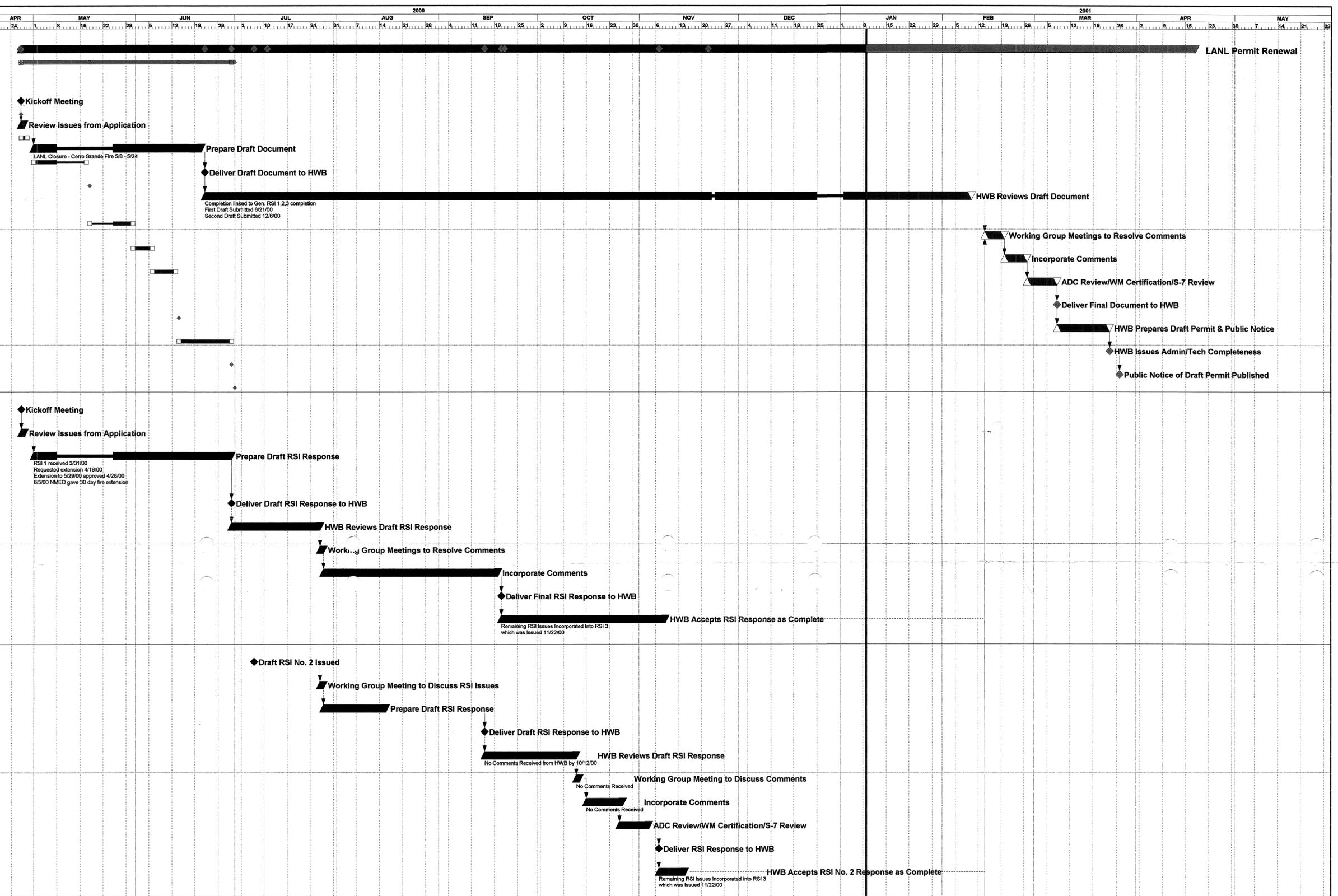
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Date	Revision	Checked	Approved



Activity Description	Orig Dur	Actual Duration	Rem Dur	Target 1 Early Start	Target 1 Early Finish	Early Start	Early Finish
01 LANL Permit Renewal							
	235	163	72	27APR00	30JUN00	27APR00A	18APR01
01.01 Chapter 1 - General							
01.01.01 Chapter 1 - General - Preparation							
Kickoff Meeting	0	0	0	27APR00		27APR00A	
Review Issues from Application	1	1	0	27APR00	28APR00	27APR00A	27APR00A
Prepare Draft Document	12	24	0	01MAY00	16MAY00	01MAY00A	20JUN00A
Deliver Draft Document to HWB	0	0	0		17MAY00		21JUN00A
HWB Reviews Draft Document	9	136	24	18MAY00	30MAY00	22JUN00A	09FEB01
Working Group Meetings to Resolve Comments	4	0	4	31MAY00	05JUN00	14FEB01	19FEB01
Incorporate Comments	5	0	5	06JUN00	12JUN00	20FEB01	26FEB01
ADC Review/WM Certification/S-7 Review	7	0	7			27FEB01	07MAR01
Deliver Final Document to HWB	0	0	0		13JUN00		07MAR01
HWB Prepares Draft Permit & Public Notice	12	0	12	14JUN00	29JUN00	08MAR01	23MAR01
HWB Issues Admin/Tech Completeness	0	0	0		29JUN00		23MAR01
Public Notice of Draft Permit Published	0	0	0		30JUN00		26MAR01
01.01.02 Chapter 1 - RSI No. 1 - General Part B							
Kickoff Meeting	0	0	0			27APR00A	
Review Issues from Application	1	1	0			27APR00A	27APR00A
Prepare Draft RSI Response	43	31	0			01MAY00A	29JUN00A
Deliver Draft RSI Response to HWB	0	0	0				29JUN00A
HWB Reviews Draft RSI Response	20	19	0			30JUN00A	26JUL00A
Working Group Meetings to Resolve Comments	1	1	0			27JUL00A	27JUL00A
Incorporate Comments	39	37	0			28JUL00A	18SEP00A
Deliver Final RSI Response to HWB	0	0	0				19SEP00A
HWB Accepts RSI Response as Complete	6	36	0			20SEP00A	08NOV00A
01.01.03 Chapter 1 - RSI No. 2 - General Part B							
Draft RSI No. 2 Issued	0	0	0			07JUL00A	
Working Group Meeting to Discuss RSI Issues	1	1	0			27JUL00A	27JUL00A
Prepare Draft RSI Response	22	13	0			28JUL00A	15AUG00A
Deliver Draft RSI Response to HWB	0	0	0				14SEP00A
HWB Reviews Draft RSI Response	7	20	0			15SEP00A	12OCT00A
Working Group Meeting to Discuss Comments	1	1	0			13OCT00A	13OCT00A
Incorporate Comments	9	9	0			16OCT00A	26OCT00A
ADC Review/WM Certification/S-7 Review	7	7	0			26OCT00A	03NOV00A
Deliver RSI Response to HWB	0	0	0				06NOV00A
HWB Accepts RSI No. 2 Response as Complete	6	6	0			07NOV00A	14NOV00A



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