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Subject: Parallex Project Fuel Manufacture and Shipment: Predecisional Draft Environmental Assessment (PDEA); NMED File No. 1122 ER

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The Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau (HRMB) found some informational deficiencies with the PDEA. These are listed below.

- ◆ Page 5, Section 2.1, TA-3 is highlighted in Figure 1, however, there is no mention of TA-3 in the text. What is the purpose of TA-3 and why is it highlighted?
- ◆ Page 23, Section 3.3.2, The sentence in this section reads, "*Responsibility for each shipment would transfer from the US government to the Canadian Government at the boarder.*" How would this be accomplished?
- ◆ Page 3, Section 4.1.2, The paragraph states, "*HEPA filters are regularly replaced...*" How often is "regularly"? Do the HEPA filters undergo testing to meet certain requirements?
- ◆ Page 3, Section 4.1.2, The Department of Energy must meet requirements of 40 CFR 61, Subpart H, specifically Section 61.93.

