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Meeting in Round House, 30JAN96, 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. at request of Senator Billy McKibbin, to discuss the Triassic Park Haz. Waste Disposal Facility landfill liner design.

Attendees: Sen. McKibbin, Dale Gandy, Ken Schultz and Alan Krause (both are Mr. Gandy's consultants), Mark Weidler, Ed Kelley, Pete Maggiore, Benito Garcia, David Duran, Rich Stafford, and me.

What happened?

- Mr. Gandy had received the 24JAN96 letter from NMED advising him (1) the proposed alternate liner will not provide equivalent protection to the RCRA-specified liner and (2) modeling parameters were not justified. The letter asked for additional data to allow NMED to proceed with review of the alternate design.

- Sec'y. Weidler did most of the talking for NMED and Messrs. Gandy and Krause asked questions about regulations and provided information on the alternate design. Sec'y. Weidler tried to assure everyone that our main concern is protection of health and the environment and we're bound by the regulations as to how much leeway we can allow in haz. waste landfill design but we'll do what we can to get the facility built.

- There was some question (by all sides) as to what role EPA will play in the permit. Benito offered to host a meeting of EPA, NMED, and TerraMatrix (Mr. Krause) to resolve this. The proposed meeting will be held in ~ 1 week.

- Mr. Schultz asked when the permit might be issued and Sec'y. Weidler advised him we need to get the questions answered before issuing the permit.

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