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Mr. Bruce Lilly
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Dear Mr. Lilly:

I have contacted your operation in order to receive answers to a question I had at the time of the Compliance Evaluation Inspection performed by Steve Holmes and myself on August 10, 2001. The question I raised at the time of the inspection has to do with the labeling on each drum in a shipment. There are three items that must be included on every drum per 40 CFR 262.32 (b) and they are as follows:

- HAZARDOUS WASTE – Federal Law Prohibits Improper Disposal. If found, contact the nearest police or public safety authority or the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.
- Generator's Name and Address _____.
- Manifest Document Number _____.

If you could provide evidence that each drum carries these items I can complete my letter of compliance. Please provide me with photographs of these labels on shipments especially from Rocky Flats and Hanford within fifteen day of receipt of this letter. You may forward them via the address in the header on this page.

Thank you for your prompt response and if you have any further questions you may contact me on my direct line at (505) 428-2522.

Sincerely,

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