COMES NOW, U.S. Department of Energy and Nuclear Waste Partnership (Applicants/Permittees), and file this Response to Hearing Officer’s Report and would show the following:

Applicants/Permittees support the concluding recommendation of the Hearing Officer’s Report issued in the above-entitled matter on December 10, 2018. Accordingly, Applicants/Permittees respectfully request the Secretary of Environment approve the Draft Permit issued by the Hazardous Waste Bureau (“Bureau”) for public comment on August 6, 2018 (AR-180804), as amended by language agreed upon by the Bureau and the Parties during their negotiations held September 24-25, 2018, that revised the definition of “Shielded Container” in Permit Part 3, Section 3.3.1.8, and Permit Attachment Al, Section Al-lb(2).

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