Dear Colleague:

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), Carlsbad Area Office (CAO) will host a Public Information Meeting on October 27, 1994, from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. at the La Posada, 125 2nd Street, Albuquerque, New Mexico. The purpose of this meeting is to describe the changes to the chapters of the revised Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Part B application, and how the phased submittal approach will take place.

This evening meeting will be held in conjunction with the System Prioritization Method (SPM) Workshop scheduled October 27-28, 1994, during the day. This is to facilitate the attendance of those stakeholder groups who will be attending the SPM, as well as other interested members of the public.

Enclosure I to this letter contains Chapters B, Facility Description; E, Groundwater Monitoring; F, Procedures to Prevent Hazards; G, RCRA Contingency Plan; H, Personnel Training; J, Corrective Actions for Solid Waste Management Units; and K, Other Federal Laws. These chapters have been provided to the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) for review. Due to the accelerated schedule in which we must submit the revised chapters to the NMED, and the short time for review prior to this evening meeting, we are not expecting your review to be complete. Therefore, as stated above, the intent of this meeting is only to introduce the phased submittal approach and highlight the changes made from the test phase application. Interested parties may submit comments on the discussion materials at the meeting or in writing following the meeting.

Enclosure II is a list of those primary stakeholder groups and individuals, most notably involved in the SPM activities, who will be receiving the revised chapters. Additionally, a list of the public reading rooms to which revised chapters are to be provided is given.

We propose to hold two other public information meetings addressing chapters of the RCRA application as they are revised and provided to the NMED. These meetings are tentatively scheduled to be held in Carlsbad, New Mexico on January 31, 1994, and March 23, 1994.
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For additional information please contact Craig Snider of my staff at (505) 234-7452. Written comments can be sent to Mr. Snider at the above address.

Sincerely,

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Washington, DC 20585

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