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Dear Mr. Garcia:

You are invited to attend the fifth System Prioritization Method (SPM) Workshop, Monday, January 9, 1994, at the Holiday Inn, 601 S. Canal Street in Carlsbad, New Mexico. Please confirm your attendance with Nancy Heavner at (505) 234-7215.

This workshop will focus on Non-Salado Fluid Flow. The discussions will begin at 10:00 a.m. and will conclude at 5:00 p.m. Enclosed for your review is the position paper for the workshop. If you have any questions regarding the workshop please call Bob Bills of the Department of Energy (DOE), Carlsbad Area Office (CAO), at (505) 234-7481.

The SPM is designed to:

- Address regulator and stakeholder concerns early and throughout the process of regulatory compliance.
- Lead to scientifically sound Performance Assessment (PA) used in demonstrating regulatory compliance.
- Use taxpayer dollars efficiently.

If you do not have the budget available to fund your trip to this SPM Workshop, the CAO will reimburse you for transportation, lodging, meals and incidental expenses. Enclosed is a travel tip sheet listing the allowable expenses and the reimbursement process.

Your participation in the January SPM Workshop is appreciated. We welcome any comments or concerns regarding the topics discussed at previous workshops.

Sincerely,

George E. Dials
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Manager

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