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MEMORANDUM

TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Robert S. Andrews, Senior Staff Officer 

SUBJECT: Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) Committee Meeting, 9-10 February 1995

After the last meeting of the WIPP Committee, several members had the opportunity to talk to representatives of DOE and Sandia National Laboratory about the System Prioritization Method-2 (SPM-2). They learned that the assumptions being used were extremely conservative, but that some recent changes were being made. As a consequence, several representatives from the WIPP project have been invited to discuss with the Committee these and other matters concerning the approach currently being used to prepare SPM-2.

This special meeting has been scheduled for 9-10 February (Thursday-Friday), in Room 118 of the Green Building, 2100 Wisconsin Ave., N.W., Washington, DC (the National Research Council's Georgetown facility). We anticipate that by holding this meeting in Washington, it will provide an opportunity for headquarters representatives from DOE and EPA to participate in these discussions.

The schedule calls for an open Committee meeting all day Thursday, starting at 8:30am, and, if necessary, part of Friday morning, followed by an executive session for the Committee. Please contact me or Dennis DuPree concerning your attendance on (202) 334-3066 or by FAX (202) 334-3077.

The next meeting of the WIPP Committee is scheduled for 27-28 April (Thursday-Friday) in Albuquerque.

