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Gentlemen:

The following items have been recommended for presentation and discussion at the 64th quarterly meeting on October 29, 1998 at the EEG office in Albuquerque.

RCRA Permit
- Categories of comments received by NMED
- Update of permit timeline
- How NMED proposes to approve mixed waste at sites outside New Mexico

NMED-approved sampling and analysis plan and status of characterization for LANL TA55-43, Lot 1

Waste Characterization Task Force - Composition of task force and summary of first three meetings
DOE Order 435.1, Manual, and Guidance, and their impact on the TRU Waste Program

Summary of Performance Assessment activities

Evaluation of the March 1998 underground CAM particulate test with supporting data

Occupational exposure data for INEEL as presented to Waste Characterization Task Force

Plans for non-WIPP TRU Waste Disposal

INEEL Advanced Mixed Waste Treatment Facility: Plans, status, and implications for WIPP

Rocky Flats Residues: Quantities/DOE-HQ approval of safeguards and security limit increase

Plan for plugging and abandoning WIPP wells

Discussion of potential mechanisms to improve quarterlies

Past Action Item: DOE investigation into mechanisms for notifying stakeholders of technical meetings

Kindly contact Dr. Matthew Silva to work out the details of the agenda.

Sincerely,

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