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The Honorable John T. Conway
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Dear Mr. Chairman:

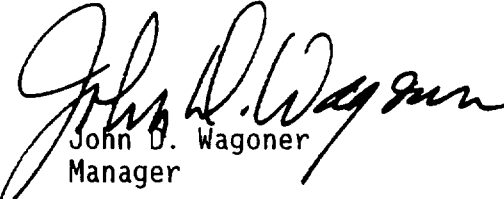
STATUS OF U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, RICHLAND OPERATIONS OFFICE (RL) TANK WASTE REMEDIATION SYSTEM (TWRS) DEFENSE NUCLEAR FACILITIES BOARD T (DNFSB) RECOMMENDATION 92-4 QUALIFICATION AND TRAINING COMMITMENTS

The qualification and training commitments remaining under DNFSB Recommendation 92-4 are an integral part of those commitments listed in DNFSB Recommendation 93-3. 92-4 commitment 3.4.g requires the finalization of a staff analysis by the comparison of the existing position standards to the 93-3 qualification standards, and 3.4.h requires the training of TWRS personnel to the requirements of their respective Individual Development Plans (IDP).

The previous Position Standards and IDPs, submitted to the DNFSB on October 1, 1994, have been reviewed against the Base and Functional Area qualification standards developed for DNFSB Recommendation 93-3 commitments 4.4.2, 4.4.3, and 4.4.4 as required for 92-4 commitment 3.4.g. TWRS agrees with the findings of the independent review conducted by the Training Coordination Assistance Program (TCAP) in September 1994. Based upon the findings, the TWRS Technical Qualification Program is being developed and implemented in compliance with the schedule and requirements of DNFSB 93-3.

92-4 commitment 3.4.h requires TWRS personnel to be trained to requirements stated in their IDPs one year after issuance of the IDPs. The IDPs are now contingent upon the completion of the 93-3 activities. If you have any questions please contact me on (509) 376-7591 or Chris P. Bader, Director of the TWRS Program Integration Division on (509) 373-9109.

Sincerely,


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