



## Department of Energy

Washington, DC 20585

December 26, 1996

The Honorable John T. Conway  
Chairman  
Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board  
625 Indiana Avenue, N.W.  
Suite 700  
Washington, D.C. 20004

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Enclosed is the "Low Level Waste Projection Program Guide." This document is a deliverable pursuant to the commitment in Task Initiative VIII.B.2 identified in the Department of Energy's Implementation Plan, Revision I, for the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board Recommendation 94-2.

This document describes the overall approach, major elements, and key implementation steps of the Department's Low Level Waste (LLW) Projections Program. The document also provides a standardized approach and methodology for developing LLW projections including the provisions to establish Data Quality Objectives, conduct periodic review and assessment of the quality and accuracy of the projections data, and integration of projections information into life-cycle planning activities.

The Department has completed the actions identified under this commitment and proposes closure of the commitment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alvin L. Alm".

Alvin L. Alm  
Assistant Secretary for  
Environmental Management

Enclosure

cc: Mark Whitaker, S-3.1

