



## Department of Energy

Washington, DC 20585

October 31, 2000

The Honorable John T. Conway  
Chairman  
Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board  
625 Indiana Avenue, NW, Suite 700  
Washington, D.C. 20004-2901

Dear Mr. Chairman:

With this letter, I am pleased to report completion of a commitment found in the Department of Energy's 2000-1 Implementation Plan. The following commitment is proposed for closure:

210 Resume HB-Line dissolution of SRS residues - September 2000

HB-Line dissolution operations were resumed on September 2, 2000.

We continue to closely track progress on all Recommendation 2000-1 commitments and will keep you and your staff apprised of our progress. We are in the process of preparing a letter to inform you of several milestones which have either been missed or are known to require schedule adjustments. I will be sending that letter to you in the near future. If you have any questions, please contact me or have your staff call me on (202) 586-5151.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David G. Huizenga".

David G. Huizenga  
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cc:  
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