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The Honorable James Richard Perry  
Secretary of Energy  
U.S. Department of Energy  
1000 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, DC 20585-1000

Dear Secretary Perry:

I kindly request that your staff provide a briefing to the Board regarding the Integrated Waste Treatment Unit facility, including: progress made and resolution of technical issues since the December 16, 2016 briefing to the Board; current status of the facility; and remaining schedule to complete the facility's mission. Further, I request that this briefing be provided no later than March 26, 2019.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bruce Hamilton". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Bruce Hamilton  
Chairman

c: Mr. Joe Olencz