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ATTENTION OF:

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Via Electronic Mail and Federal Express

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Subject: Documents related to Shallow Land Disposal Area, Parks Township, Pennsylvania

Dear Mauri:

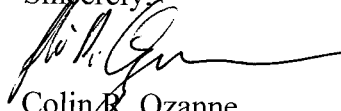
As you recently suggested I am submitting this letter requesting copies of, or in the alternative the opportunity to review, documents related to the Shallow Land Disposal Area (SLDA), Parks Township, Pennsylvania that are in the possession of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

Consider this request in addition to Major Elliot's request to Yolande Norman dated March 21, 2012 (Enclosure). The Corps has not received a response to Major Elliot's request to date. In addition to those documents requested by Major Elliot, this request is specifically for any current and/or historical documents, and any historical documents of the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) that are in the NRC's possession, that relate to the generation of materials disposed of at the SLDA, any documents that relate to the disposal of material at SLDA, any documents related to disposal methodology, protocols, or practices at the SLDA, any license applications or requests for modifications of licenses received by the AEC or NRC related to the SLDA, any contracts for the generation of or disposal of material at SLDA, any correspondence regarding the generation and/or disposal of materials at the SLDA, and any other documents you believe are pertinent to the Corps responsibilities at the SLDA.

It is possible, perhaps even likely, that some of the information and documents requested as described in the above paragraph are related to the former Nuclear Materials Equipment Corporation's (NUMEC) Apollo, Pennsylvania manufacturing facility. Please also consider NUMEC's Apollo documents that are relevant when responding to this request.

Please contact me to discuss any nondisclosure limitations the NRC may have with any of the documents requested or to arrange the time and place for the Corps personnel to review the information at (716) 879-4181. Thank you for your continued cooperation and support of the Corps' SLDA project.

Sincerely,

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Colin R. Ozanne
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March 21, 2012

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Dear Ms. Norman,

As you are aware, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) is conducting a cleanup of radioactive and special nuclear material waste at the Shallow Land Disposal Area (SLDA) site, NRC License No. SNM-2001 (suspended), in accordance with the 2001 Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the NRC and USACE for Coordination on Cleanup & Decommissioning of the Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program (FUSRAP) Sites with NRC-Licensed Facilities.

Consistent with USACE's ongoing commitment to seek and evaluate documentation or information regarding the SLDA site, USACE respectfully requests that NRC make available to USACE any and all non-public documents pertaining to the SLDA site and its operating history, specifically including, but not limited to special nuclear material. Please be advised that if certain responsive documents are subject to information security classifications, USACE has staff with the requisite clearance(s) to receive and review such material. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at Robert.d.elliott@usace.army.mil, 1-412-334-4392. For information security concerns, please contact Paul Surace at 1-412-841-7490.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Robert 'Dan' Elliott", is written over a horizontal line.

Robert "Dan" Elliott, PMP
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