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Attention: Jill Caverly
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Dear Ms. Brock,

This letter is in response to your correspondence dated August 29, 2019, with an enclosed cultural resources survey report regarding Holtec International's proposed Hi-store Consolidated Interim Storage Facility for spent nuclear fuel to be located in Lea County, New Mexico, Docket Number 07201051.

The Hopi Tribe claims cultural affiliation to earlier identifiable cultural groups in New Mexico. The Hopi Cultural Preservation Office supports the identification and avoidance of our ancestral sites, and we consider the archaeological sites of our ancestors to be Traditional Cultural Properties. Therefore, we appreciate the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission's continuing solicitation of our input and your efforts to address our concerns.

The Hopi Cultural Preservation Office has reviewed the enclosed cultural resources survey report that identifies two National Register eligible prehistoric sites, newly identified LA 187010, described as a campsite, and previously recorded site LA 89676, described as an artifact scatter. Therefore, if these sites cannot be avoided by project activities, we have determined that this proposal may result in adverse effects to cultural resources significant to the Hopi Tribe.

And therefore we request continuing consultation on this proposal including being provided with a copy of any proposed draft treatment plan for review and comment. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Terry Morgart at the Hopi Cultural Preservation Office at 928-734-3619 or tmorgart@hopi.nsn.us. Thank again you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Stewart B. Koyiyumtewa, Program Manager
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