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Gentlemen:

This refers to my telephone conversation with you regarding your attending a meeting requested by Kerr-McGee Corporation. The purpose of the meeting is to permit Kerr-McGee representatives to further discuss their proposal for deep well disposal of wastes from their Sequoyah UF<sub>6</sub> production plant.

You will recall we asked for U. S. Geological Survey's comments and recommendations on the proposal and you responded to our request on June 16, 1972. After review of comments by our consultant and USGS, we denied Kerr-McGee's application on September 29, 1972. A copy of our letter is enclosed. Subsequently, the company requested this meeting to further explain their proposal prior to making a decision in regard to a request for a hearing in the matter. As you requested, we are sending you a copy of Kerr-McGee's complete proposal.

The meeting is scheduled for 8:30 a.m., Monday, November 20, 1972, in Conference Room P-114, Phillips Building, located at 7920 Norfolk Avenue in Bethesda. We appreciate your taking the time to participate in this meeting and we shall look forward to meeting you.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY  
CECIL R. BUCHANAN

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Enclosures:

1. Kerr-McGee meeting request
2. Denial letter
3. Kerr-McGee proposal

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