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MANAGING FOR QUALITY is a major and continuing commitment in every aspect of the nation's program for the safe disposal of spent nuclear fuel and high-level radioactive waste. Managing for quality encompasses the total network of management systems that are applied to all administrative and technical activities essential to achieving and assuring quality throughout the program. A particularly important segment of this system is QUALITY ASSURANCE MANAGEMENT. In striving for excellence, the Department of Energy, Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management (OCRWM), has undertaken significant quality assurance management actions to control and verify structures, systems and components, as well as data and documentation, that are important to protecting public health and safety, to long-term waste isolation, and to facility operability. These actions include the development and implementation of Program- and project-specific quality assurance plans and procedures for the integrated waste management system. A framework for Program-wide quality assurance management actions is provided in the recently issued OCRWM QUALITY ASSURANCE MANAGEMENT POLICIES AND REQUIREMENTS document.

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