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Subject: CNWRA Program Manager's Periodic Report on Activities of the
Center for Nuclear Waste Regulatory Analyses for Period 1-FY97

Dear Mr. Linehan:

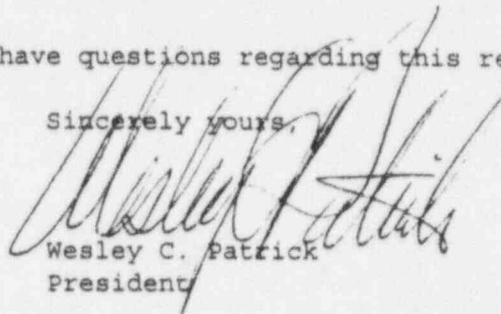
The attached "Program Manager's Periodic Report" (PMPR) documents the progress and financial status of the Center for Nuclear Waste Regulatory Analyses (CNWRA) for the period September 28-October 25, 1996. Its contents comply with the requirements of section F.1.5. of the referenced contract. A diskette containing the PMPR in WordPerfect 5.1 format is also enclosed.

Cost variance analyses are provided for the Division of Waste Management (D1035), Waste Solidification Systems (L1793), and Tank Waste Remediation System (J5164) Job Codes (JC), as well as for composite spending on this contract. Note that all variances are expressed with regard to currently approved plans. Consistent with expected reduction to the FY97 budget, spending in D1035 JC should be about 23 percent below current plans as will be reflected in a subsequent modification to the CNWRA Operations Plans.

Schedule changes are included in table 2 of the PMPR. No deliverables were transmitted during period 1.

Please contact me or Mr. Henry Garcia if you have questions regarding this report.

Sincerely yours,


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