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FROM: John G. Davis, Director  
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SUBJECT: LESSONS LEARNED GROUP (LLG)

Attached is a draft memorandum for the EDO's signature. It directs the staff to form a Lessons Learned Group (LLG) to prepare a report based on experience gained from the recent Sequoyah Fuels Facility, Gore, Oklahoma accident. We would appreciate your concurrence or comments by January 24, 1986.

(Signed) John G. Davis

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SUBJECT: FORMATION OF A LESSONS LEARNED GROUP RE UF  
ACCIDENT AT SEQUOYAH FUELS FACILITY, GORE,<sup>6</sup>OKLAHOMA

This memorandum directs the formation of a Lessons Learned Group (LLG) to prepare a "lessons learned" report based on experience gained from the recent Sequoyah Fuels Facility, Gore, Oklahoma accident. Composition of the group will be as follows:

1. James M. Allan, Region I, Chairman
2. L. Robert Greger, Region III
3. Douglas M. Collins, Region II
4. Robert L. Fonner, Office of Executive Legal Director
5. Barbara A. Dalrymple, Liaison NMSS.
6. Observer (to be identified) AEOD

The LLG should initially review the informational reports that will be prepared concerning the Sequoyah Fuels Facility, Gore, Oklahoma UF<sub>6</sub> accident. The LLG may solicit, through interviews or other means, the views<sup>6</sup> of individuals who may have been involved with the incident or the preparation of reports, as appropriate.

As a minimum the LLG should consider the following in the preparation of its report:

1. Steps that NRC might reasonably take to prevent similar types of accidents from occurring both from a licensing inspection and enforcement standpoint.
2. Clarity of NRC's regulatory role in licensing and inspection of plants of this type in relation to other federal/state agencies which have authority and responsibility to exercise regulatory oversight.
3. Adequacy of the NRC response to the accident and follow-on actions, as well as improvements which might be made.

The LLG should plan to complete its report in April 1986 based on the assumption that most, if not all, of the follow-up tasks and studies will be completed by the end of March. The LLG should begin its review of reports as they become available to meet this schedule. As liaison, Ms. Dalrymple will assist the LLG Chairman in setting up the meetings and supplying the necessary reports for review.

Victor Stello, Jr.  
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