



The Secretary of Energy
Washington, DC 20585

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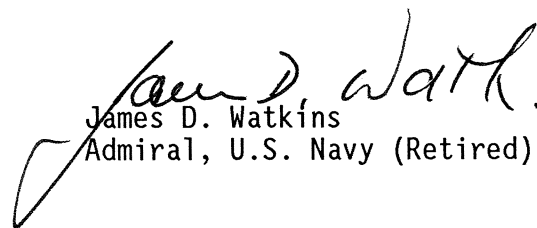
The Honorable John T. Conway
Chairman
Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board
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Dear Mr. Conway:

This is in response to your letter of September 30, 1991, in which you enclosed Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board Recommendation 91-4. The Department of Energy accepts Recommendation 91-4.

The Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board Recommendation 91-4 included four specific recommendations. Our plans for implementing these recommendations are described in the enclosure.

Sincerely,


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Admiral, U.S. Navy (Retired)

Enclosure