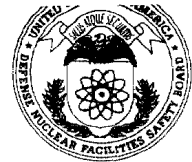


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Mr. Mark B. Whitaker, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Whitaker:

Enclosed for your information and distribution are 25 Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board staff trip reports.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andrew L. Thibadeau". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "A" and "T".

Andrew L. Thibadeau
Information Officer

Enclosures (25)

| Site | Report Date | Subject | Author(s) | |
|----------------|-------------|--|--------------|-----------|
| Hanford | 9/16/96 | Tank Farms Draft Basis for Interim Operations | Arcaro | 97 / 1384 |
| Hanford | 7/24/96 | Pu Residue Stabilization | Massie | 97 / 1385 |
| Hanford | 7/12/96 | Board Recommendation 92-4 | Arcaro | 97 / 1386 |
| Hanford | 7/11/96 | Flammable Gas and Lightning Mitigation Issues | Moore | 97 / 1387 |
| Hanford | 6/10/96 | Spent Nuclear Fuel Project - ORR Planning and Vulnerability | Wille | 97 / 1388 |
| Hanford | 6/7/96 | Safety of Cesium and Strontium Capsules | Zull | 97 / 1389 |
| Hanford | 4/29/96 | Spent Nuclear Fuel Project | Wille | 97 / 1390 |
| INEL | 6/28/96 | Advanced Test Reactor Design Review | Roarty/Hayes | 97 / 1391 |
| NTS | 8/19/96 | Subcritical Experiments REBOUND_1 and HOLOG | Winters | 97 / 1392 |
| Pantex | 6/3/97 | Diesel Generators and uninterruptible Power Supply Systems | Gwal | 97 / 1393 |
| Pantex | 5/23/96 | Suspect/Counterfeit Parts in Electrical Systems | Gwal | 97 / 1394 |
| Rocky Flats | 9/4/96 | Electrical Systems | Barboza | 97 / 1395 |
| Rocky Flats | 8/28/96 | Fire Protection | Shields | 97 / 1396 |
| Rocky Flats | 8/16/96 | Liquid Stabilization of Pu Solutions | Merritt | 97 / 1397 |
| Rocky Flats | 7/29/96 | Occupational Radiation Protection Program - Caustic Waste Treatment System | Clemons | 97 / 1398 |
| Rocky Flats | 5/17/96 | Liquid Stabilization of Pu Solutions | Merritt | 97 / 1399 |
| Rocky Flats | 3/27/96 | Hydrogen Generation Issue | Helfrich | 97 / 1400 |
| Rocky Flats | 3/26/96 | Caustic Waste Treatment System | Helfrich | 97 / 1401 |
| Rocky Flats | 3/21/96 | Fire Protection | Shields | 97 / 1402 |
| Savannah River | 9/23/96 | Review of F- and H-Area High-Level Waste (HLW) Tank Closure | Stokes | 97 / 1403 |
| Savannah River | 8/9/96 | DWPF and ITP Vessel Erosion/Corrosion | Huntley | 97 / 1404 |
| Savannah River | 8/9/96 | Tritium Facility | Yeniscavich | 97 / 1405 |
| Savannah River | 7/8/96 | Consolidated Incineration Facility | Moore | 97 / 1406 |
| Savannah River | 5/28/96 | Spent Nuclear Fuel Activities | Wille | 97 / 1407 |
| Savannah River | 1/29/96 | Combined Lower Flammability Limit Issue - Tank 48 - ITP | Robinson | 97 / 1408 |