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The Honorable John T. Conway
Chairman
Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board
625 Indiana Avenue, N.W.
Suite 700
Washington, D.C. 20004

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Enclosed is a copy of the Pantex Plant Sealed Insert Third Quarter Fiscal Year 2000 Summary Status Report. This report is a deliverable to you under Commitment 5.2.2 of the Department's Recommendation 99-1 Implementation Plan (IP). As discussed in the IP, the report summarizes pit repackaging activities.

If you have any questions concerning this information, please contact me at (202) 586-4879 or have your staff contact Tim Evans at (301) 903-3989.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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