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Mr. Jeffery Dennison
State of Nevada
Division of Environmental Protection
201 So. Fall Street
Carson City, Nevada 89710

Dear Mr. Dennison:

Subject: Semi-Annual Reporting for
Chromium Mitigation Reports

With the mailing of the Fourth Quarter 1989 Performance Report for the Chromium Mitigation Program at Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation's (KMCC) Henderson Facility, a request was made to reduce the frequency of the reporting.

To clarify our request, KMCC proposes to submit a semi-annual report which will contain weekly summaries of the groundwater treatment analyses indicating volume of water treated and treatment effluent concentrations, monthly water level charts from M-78 and M-80, and monthly chromium concentrations in Appendix J wells. These monitoring parameters are currently being submitted and are not proposed for reduction at this time.

KMCC does propose to reduce the production of a potentiometric surface map for the Consent Order Monitoring Area from a monthly to a quarterly basis.

The semiannual report will continue to provide significant data on operations but will monitor the potentiometric surface contour over a longer period of time, since the contours have stabilized relative to a month to month contour.

Should you have any questions regarding this semiannual report format, please contact me or Alan J. Gaddy at (702) 565-8901.

Sincerely,

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