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Dear Duke:

Enclosed is a proposal (LASL #P-453) for continuation during FY 76 of a project (R292) entitled "Respiratory Protection Studies." The project was supported by the AEC during the first half of FY-75, and is now being supported by funds for which a Nuclear Regulatory Agency (NRC) cost reimbursement order is anticipated as per the interim authorization provided by letter of February 14, ERDA/LAAO to LASL. As per discussion with NRC representatives, we have used the Schedule 189 format for the proposal. Item 3, "Budget Activity Number," refers to the FY 75 AEC designation.

The Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory would be pleased to continue the Respiratory Protection Studies for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission during FY 76 as described in the enclosed, and can do so without interference to ERDA commitments if funding of \$50,000 is provided.

Our principal contact in the NRC for this project is addressed as:

Dr. Jerrold L. Caplin  
Occupational Health Standards Branch  
Office of Standards Development  
Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

By copy of this letter we are advising Dr. Caplin of our proposal on an advance basis.

We would appreciate your coordinating the ERDA review of the enclosed and, assuming our continuation of the project under NRC sponsorship can be endorsed, your offering formally to have us do so. By copy hereof we also provide the proposal to ERDA/DBER - J. Kirby-Smith to facilitate its review there.

Thank you very much for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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