



Department of Energy

Washington, DC 20585

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The Honorable John T. Conway
Chairman
Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board
625 Indiana Avenue, NW
Suite 700
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Hank Dalton, who until June 17, 1996, had served as the Acting Director of the Task Group, has been placed on a 120-day detail to the Rocky Flats Field Office.

Effective immediately, Frank Cole is detailed as the Director, Nuclear Materials Stabilization Task Group (NMSTG). I am confident that he will sustain the excellent performance record and complete the mission to which the NMSTG has been charged. The implementation of DNFSB Recommendation 94-1 remains one of the Department's highest priorities.

If you have any further questions, please contact me or have your staff contact Mr. Frank Cole, Director, Nuclear Materials Stabilization Task Group, at (301)903-1450.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Alvin L. Alm".

Alvin L. Alm
Assistant Secretary for
Environmental Management

