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Mr. Tom Wichman, Document Manager
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Dear Mr. Wichman,

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I protest starting the New Waste Calciner Facility at INEEL. This facility has a history of environmental contamination and worker exposure.

The Defense Nuclear Facility Safety Board has repeatedly challenged its readiness to restart operations.

Sincerely,

Mildred Stout

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Dear Mr. Wichmann:

The Department of the Interior reviewed the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Idaho High-Level Waste and Facilities Disposition, Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory (INEEL), Butte, Jefferson, Bingham and Bonneville Counties, Idaho. The Department does not have any comments to offer.

We appreciated the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

Preston A. Sleeger
Regional Environmental Officer

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