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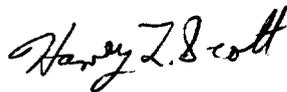
Proposed Travel To Palomares

R. Thomas Bell, EH-411

Last year we were informed by CIEMAT in Madrid, Spain that they conduct an annual one week trip to Palomares in late September or early October to collect environmental samples and review the status of the continuing monitoring operations. Dr. Chet Richmond, the DOE contractor for this project, informed us that the Spanish would be inviting us to accompany them on their upcoming annual trip. To date no invitation was received from the Spanish. The attached memorandum from Dr. Richmond indicates that the Spanish expect that we will be accompanying them on their annual trip to Palomares and that the invitation will be sent if it has not already been done so.

I believe that our participation on this annual evaluation and environmental monitoring of the site will be very valuable for the following reasons:

- a. We will see first hand what the current situation is at the crash site. One of our biggest problems in the past has been the lack of up-to-date information concerning the project status from the Spanish. Traveling with CIEMAT staff to Palomares will provide us with a current picture of the situation at the crash site and will establish personnel contact between our office and CIEMAT staff, which should help alleviate this problem.
- b. Since we are considering taking a more active role with the Spanish on Project Indalo we need to see the site to help us develop a better understanding of the current status and problems associated with the project.
- c. Traveling to Palomares with CIEMAT staff will help to improve our relations with the Spanish on the project and will show them that we are interested in what they are doing. Relations with the Spanish need to be improved before we can take a more active role on the project.



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Harvey Scott:

I finally contacted Iranzo in Madrid. The month long summer vacation period is coming to an end and folks are gradually coming back to work at the CIEMAT. I also learned that Pepe Gutierrez was very sick--hospitalized--and away from the CIEMAT for some time.

Iranzo will check to see if an invitation letter has been sent. The intention to send one has not changed. He wonders if the Director, Mingot, was waiting for Gutierrez to return to work. We believe he is scheduled to return next week.

CRRichmond, 2 Sept 92

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TEXTO

Dear Chet:

The report to DOE will be sent on the last days of July as it was promised.

The visit to CIEMAT is in the schedule and the invitation will be sent at the same time than the report.

I hope that all of you are fine

Best regards



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COMMENTS: We have not received the summary report. Please advise how report was sent so we can trace.

Also, DOE has asked that you fax a copy of the invitation letter. Please send to me and to Tom Bell, DOE. His fax number is (301) 903-7773.

Best regards to you and Emilio.

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