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Notification of Need for Some Form of Remedial Action in Bayo Canyon, Los Alamos, New Mexico

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EV/ECT has determined that portions of Bayo Canyon are contaminated with radioactive residue as a result of activities conducted for the Manhattan Engineer District and Atomic Energy Commission. We consider this site to be low priority as potential exposure rates to the general public are relatively low under the present use. Enclosed in support of these findings are:

- The radiological survey report for Bayo Canyon, and
- The Bayo Canyon Site Summary.

The Office of General Counsel has made a preliminary finding that DOE has authority to conduct remedial action at this site.

Please keep us informed of the status of this project in order that EV may fulfill our overview requirements.

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