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In the Matter of) Docket No. 63-001-HLW
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY)
(High-Level Waste Repository))
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ANSWER OF THE FOUR NEVADA COUNTIES OF CHURCHILL, ESMERALDA, LANDER AND MINERAL TO EUREKA COUNTY, NEVADA’S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PARTICIPATE BY VIDEOCONFERENCE AND REQUEST FOR WEBCASTING

On August 11, 2009 Counsel for Eureka County filed a motion to participate in the tentatively-scheduled September 14-15, 2009 prehearing conference in Las Vegas, NV by remote video conference. The Four Nevada Counties have no objection to Eureka County’s motion to participate via video conference. In addition, Counsel for Eureka County requested webcasting of the prehearing conference. The Four Counties support Eureka County’s request for webcasting of the pre-hearing conference.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the “Answer of the Four Nevada Counties of Churchill, Esmeralda Lander and Mineral to Eureka County, Nevada’s Motion for Leave to Participate by Videoconference and Request for Webcasting” have been served on the following persons this 13th day of August 2009 through the Nuclear Regulatory Commission’s Electronic Information Exchange.

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