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Dear Dr. Longwell:

I have reviewed the Review Draft of the Committee report, *Alternative Chemical Demilitarization Technologies*, and am in overall agreement with its statements of fact, reasoning, and observations. Accordingly, I concur with the decision to submit the report to external review:

As represented in the review draft.

With the additional changes I have marked and returned with this letter.

I authorize you to work with the project staff to shepherd the report through the review process and into publication. I understand that you will send me succeeding drafts of the report for monitoring and editorial comments, all substantive review comments, and the review response memorandum prepared by you on behalf of the committee. In the event that issues of substance are raised during the review of the report, I understand that you will contact the committee members or convene additional meetings as necessary to resolve problems.

Sincerely,

Matthew Meselson

Dr. Matthew Meselson
Member, Alternatives Committee

Date: 3/24/93