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Dear Mark

## DOUNREAY STAKEHOLDER GROUP NATIONAL NUCLEAR ARCHIVES

On behalf of DSG I am writing to thank you for meeting with myself and other members of the Dounreay Stakeholder Group on your recent visit to Dounreay.

During our discussions we raised issues regarding the national nuclear archives and encouraged you to continue with pre-consultation for planning and outline planning approvals.

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Following an update at the DSG Socio Economic Sub group meeting on the 20<sup>th</sup> April it appears that these views have been taken into account and we are grateful to the NDA team at Forss and yourself for taking these issues forward.

We look forward to receiving a timeline of when these activities could take place.

In addition, DSG note that the NDA estimate that it will take approximately 12 months to carry out a complete review of the record management at each NDA site. While we understand that this is a big job and cannot be done in a matter of weeks we would like to encourage and challenge those responsible for carrying out the review to accelerate the work to complete in 9 months with a view to moving forward to the next steps ahead of schedule.

Thank you again for taking the time to meet with us and look forward to further discussions with you in the future.

Yours sincerely

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