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MEMORANDUM FOR STEVEN P. CROLEY
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FROM:

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SUBJECT:

Annual National Environmental Policy Act Planning Summary

Attached is the Annual NEPA Planning Summary for the U.S. Department of Energy Office of Legacy Management (LM). LM is expecting to prepare four Environmental Assessments (EA) in 2016:

- One is related to changes in a Groundwater Compliance Action Plan (GCAP) at one of our Uranium Mill Tailings Remediation Control Act sites;
- Two are related to land withdrawals by LM from the U.S. Bureau of Land Management (BLM), and;
- One is related to resumption of uranium mining operations once the injunction is lifted for the Uranium Leasing Program

LM is not a cooperating agency on other agencies' EA or Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) projects. Please contact Tracy Ribeiro, LM's NEPA Compliance Officer, at (303) 410-4817 if you need further information.

Attachment

cc w/attachment:

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File ADM 120.2 (rc-grand junction)



2016 Annual NEPA Planning Summary

Secretarial Officers and Heads of Field Organizations submit annual NEPA planning summaries that briefly describe the status of ongoing NEPA compliance activities including Environmental Assessments expected to be prepared in the next 12 months, Environmental Impact Statements expected to be prepared in the next 24 months, the planned cost and schedule for each NEPA review, and every 3 years each Field Organization must include an evaluation of whether a site-wide EIS would facilitate future NEPA compliance efforts.

Part 1	OFFICE:	
	NEPA REVIEWS: No NEPA reviews are ongoing or planned. The ongoing and planned NEPA reviews are listed in Part 2 below.	SITE-WIDE: Preparation of a site-wide EIS was not considered at this time. A site-wide EIS WOULD facilitate future NEPA compliance efforts. A site-wide EIS WOULD NOT facilitate future NEPA compliance efforts.

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