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United States Department of Energy
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20585

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RE: FOIA request

APRIL 27, 2009

Dear FOIA Officer:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, I am requesting information or records on the U.S. Department of Energy's decision to drop its opposition to oil and gas development outside 40 acres surrounding the Project Rulison nuclear blast site. I would like any and all information, studies or other documents upon which the U.S. Department of Energy made this decision.

If there are any fees for searching for, reviewing, or copying the records above $100.00, please contact me for approval before you task my request.

If you deny all or any part of this request, please cite each specific exemption you think justifies your refusal to release the information and notify me of appeal procedures available under the law.

If you have any questions about handling this request, you may telephone me at 970-641-4605.

Sincerely,

Julie N. Richards

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