

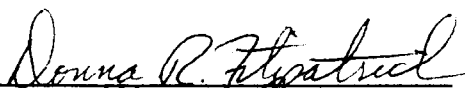
LETTER OF INTENT
BETWEEN
THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
AND THE
DEPARTMENT OF PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND ENERGY OF AUSTRALIA

Whereas the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Energy of the United States of America and the Department of Primary Industries and Energy of Australia signed April 11, 1988, allows for the development of programs and projects of information exchange in the field of Research in Progress Descriptions; and it has been agreed that cooperation in such exchange is desirable and of mutual benefit; and that such cooperation could include an exchange of information on magnetic data tape, and through direct on-line access to current data systems as discussed in the DPIE letter to DOE of June 2, 1988.

Therefore, it is the intent of DOE and DPIE to cooperate in the establishment of such an information transfer program; and that such a program shall be comprised of magnetic tape exchange from DPIE to DOE and direct on-line access to DOE data by DPIE, and that cooperation will extend to possible participation in the proposed International Scientific and Technical Network.

SIGNED IN DUPLICATE at Washington, D.C., this 10th day of June 1988.


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