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Dear Siqueira,

Group Research Programme

Thank you for your prompt reply on this subject.

Concerning Progress Reviews, we can only put these onto the database if they are written. BATCF and B&W have not written any in recent years and so there is therefore nothing on the database. The last ITL Reviews cover the period June-December 1989 and these are on the database. ITL have had a temporary delay in issuing their Reviews for January - June 1990, although Stewart Massey says that they will soon be issued.

The latest Souza Cruz and FRC Reviews are now on the database and the BTC Reviews are currently being added.

At one of the RPG Meetings - 1988 I believe - this subject was discussed and it was left that Centres would submit Reviews if it was convenient for them to do so. Souza Cruz, ITL, FRC and BTC have a firm commitment to issue them regularly; BATCF are seriously considering doing so again while B&W have given no firm commitment.

If travel restrictions for work review meetings continue in the future then I would agree that there is an enhanced need for regular Progress Review documents on the database.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

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