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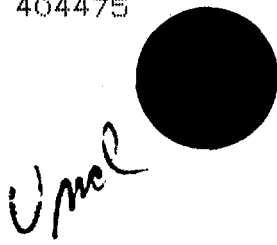
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Subject: Paint Samples Received from Bikini

To : Dr. Wright Langham, P. O. Box 1663, Santa Fe, New Mexico

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