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SEEING FOR HIMSELF: During a brief visit to Hanford on Nov. 7, U.S. Secretary of Energy Spencer Abraham, center, toured the Fast Flux Test Facility with DOE's Keith Klein, right, manager of the Richland Operations Office, and Al Farabee of the FFTF Project Office. Abraham also was briefed at the tank farms and Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, and announced a five-year extension of Battelle Memorial Institute's contract to manage and operate the lab. "Battelle has done an extraordinary job operating PNNL over the years," Abraham said. The current PNNL contract expires in September 2002.