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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

August 24, 2006

Colonel Scott D. West
Commander 27th Fighter Wing
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**RE: EXTENSION APPROVAL FOR THE SUBMITTAL OF
RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY COMMENTS
CANNON AIR FORCE BASE, EPA ID NO. NM7572124454
HWB-CAFB-06-001**

Dear Colonel West:

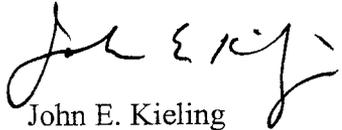
The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) received your e-mail on August 24, 2006 requesting a time extension to address NMED's March 16, 2006 Notice of Deficiency (NOD) concerning Cannon Air Force Base's (CAFB) September 1997 document *Naturally Occurring Concentrations of Inorganics and Background Concentrations of Pesticides at Cannon Air Force Base*.

NMED hereby approves of an extension request of approximately thirty (30) additional days. Cannon Air Force Base (CAFB) must submit a response no later than September 25, 2006. CAFB must take all necessary steps to ensure that further delays do not occur.

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If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Cheryl Frischkorn at 505-428-2550.

Sincerely,



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