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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

May 24, 2013

Colonel David C. Piech, Commander
27th Special Operations Mission Support Group
110 E. Sextant Avenue, Building 600, Suite 1098
Cannon Air Force Base, New Mexico 88103

**RE: APPROVAL WITH MODIFICATION
WELL INSTALLATION COMPLETION REPORT FOR LANDFILL 25,
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNIT 97
CANNON AIR FORCE BASE
CURRY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
EPA ID #NM7572124454
HWB-CAFB-13-001**

Dear Colonel Piech:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the Cannon Air Force Base's (Permittee's) *Well Installation Completion Report for Landfill 25, Solid Waste Management Unit 97* (Report) dated March 2013 and received April 10, 2013. This Report provides information concerning construction, development and sampling of new monitoring well MW-Rb which is a replacement for MW-Ra. NMED has completed review of the document and approves the Report with the following direction.

Modification:

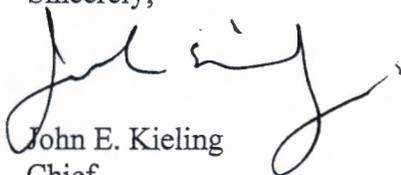
The Permittee must instruct all of its current and future contractors that submittal to NMED of any documents containing references to Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) will likely result in rejection of the document by NMED unless a complete description of the actual proposed or completed procedure is included in the document.

The current Report contains three references to SOPs in Section 2 of the Report (*Monitoring Well Installation Program*) and one reference to an SOP in Section 4.3 of the Report (*Decontamination Wastes*). NMED does not accept references to SOPs in lieu of descriptions of methods and procedures.

The Permittee's contractors must describe, in writing, when and how a given practice is going to be performed (project work plans) or when or how a given practice was performed during the actual field work (project reports).

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Daniel Comeau at (505) 476-6043.

Sincerely,



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