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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

November 13, 2019

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New Mexico 88103-5214

**RE: RCRA FACILITY INVESTIGATION AT DP034
CANNON AIR FORCE BASE, NEW MEXICO
EPA ID #NM7572124454
HWB-CAFB-18-003**

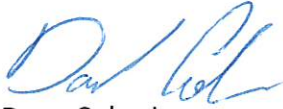
Dear Col. Masaitis:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of Cannon Air Force Base's (Permittee) October 25, 2019 NMED concurrence request letter (Request) outlining the expansion of the subsurface investigation at Debris Pit No. 034 (DP034). Information provided in the Request indicates that the areal extent of DP034 is greater than anticipated, as evidenced by ground penetrating radar and electromagnetic induction survey data. In accordance with the NMED approved Work Plan, the Permittee will advance six subsurface investigation borings within the project area in lieu of debris pit excavation and confirmation sampling. Additionally, four supplemental subsurface borings will be advanced at identified areas of interest within the expanded investigation area. The Permittee will also amend the approved field screening plan to include downhole gamma logging at all ten boring locations depicted on Request Figure 3, Geophysical Results Historical Debris Pit DP034. Based on the information provided in the Request, the Permittee may proceed with the subsurface boring investigation at DP034 and the work scope amendments.

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

Sincerely,



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