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PLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

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September 17, 2007

James Bearzi, Chief
State of New Mexico, Environment Department
Hazardous Waste Bureau
2905 Rodeo Park Drive, East Building 1
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-6303



Re: Request for Extension
Notice of Deficiency (NOD) – March 21, 2007
RCRA Facility Investigation Work Plan
Oro Grande Landfill (SWMU-25/FTBL-14)
Fort Bliss, New Mexico, EPA ID# NM4213720101-01
HWB-FB-06-001

Dear Mr. Bearzi:

The Fort Bliss Directorate of Environment (DOE) requests a 45-day extension of the time to respond to the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) Notice of Deficiency (NOD) dated March 21, 2007 for the referenced facility. The final work plan, dated November 2006, incorporated revisions based on the responses to comments to the NMED NOD dated July 24, 2006.

In a letter dated July 2, 2007, the DOE requested clarification of the comments in the March 21, 2007 NOD and an extension. In a letter dated July 25, 2007, NMED provided clarification of the NOD and approved an extension of the time to provide the revised final work plan to September 23, 2007.

Fort Bliss has begun development of the responses to the July 25 NMED comments and has secured funding to complete this task. Accordingly, the Permittee requests a 45-day extension for the submittal of the revised final work plan and a table of comments and responses for the March 21, 2007 NOD.

If you have any questions or need further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact Kelly Blough at 915-568-0794(voice), 915-568-1333 (fax), or kelly.blough@us.army.mil.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. Landreth", written in a cursive style.

Keith Landreth, Director
Directorate of Environment

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Rick Smith, USACE – Tulsa District
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