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February 6, 2019

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**RE: REVIEW
ANNUAL POST-CLOSURE SITE INSPECTION REPORT
FORT BLISS SITE NO. 12 (FTBL-012)/SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT
UNIT 27 (SWMU-27)
DOÑA ANA RANGE CAMP RUBBLE LANDFILL
FORT BLISS, NEW MEXICO
EPA ID #NM4213720101
HWB-FB-18-004**

Dear Mr. Moncada:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has reviewed the Department of Army (Permittee) *Annual Post-Closure Site Inspection Report, Fort Bliss Site No. 12 (FTBL-012)/Solid Waste Management Unit 27 (SWMU-27) Doña Ana Range Camp Rubble Landfill Fort Bliss, New Mexico* (Report), dated December 21, 2018 and received December 31, 2018.

In accordance with NMED's *Approval of FTBL-12/SWMU-27 Doña Ana Rubble Landfill, Fort Bliss, New Mexico*, dated October 30, 2007, the Permittee conducted an inspection of the site on May 30, 2018. The Permittee reported that the landfill cover and side slopes showed no sign of erosion and the water drainage system, vegetative layer, perimeter fence and warning signs were found to be in good condition.

In response to rainfall events that exceeded one inch, the Permittee is required to conduct

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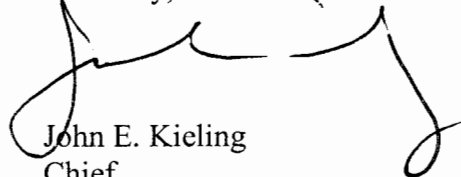
unscheduled inspections as required by the October 30, 2007 Approval. No significant precipitation was recorded in 2018; therefore, unscheduled inspections were not conducted.

The second bi-annual inspection was conducted during the post-wet season on October 24, 2018. The Permittee reported that the landfill cover and side slopes showed no sign of erosion and the water drainage system, vegetative layer, perimeter fence and warning signs were found to be in good condition.

The Permittee has fulfilled its obligation to conduct the biannual site inspections and submit an annual report to NMED. The Permittee must continue to conduct biannual inspections at SWMU-27, after snowmelt and at the end of the rainy season. The Permittee must continue to submit the associated report to NMED documenting results of the inspection. The 2019 inspection report is due no later than **December 31, 2019**.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Michiya Suzuki (505) 476-6059.

Sincerely,



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File: 2018 Ft. Bliss (SWMU 27) Site Inspection Report