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March 1, 2006

Ms. Deborah Hartell  
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**SUBJECT: 90-DAY EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY ON GROUNDWATER MONITORING WORK PLAN FOR SS-61 (AOC-1001), HOLLOWAN AIR FORCE BASE  
EPA ID NO. NM6572124422  
TASK # HAFB-05-008**

Dear Ms. Hartell:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) Hazardous Waste Bureau (HWB) has reviewed Holloman Air Force Base's (HAFB's, the Facility) February 22, 2006 request (signed by David Budak) for extension of the deadline for submittal of the response to the notice of deficiency (NOD) regarding the Groundwater Monitoring Work Plan For SS-61 (AOC-1001).

In your letter, you explained that HAFB is requesting the extension of the deadline for submittal of the responses to the NOD because the Facility needs more time than was given by NMED to be able to prepare responses to the NMED's nod comments dated January 17, 2006.

Based upon the above reason, NMED hereby grants the extension for submittal of the responses to the NOD. Holloman Air Force Base shall therefore submit the required responses to the NOD Work Plan to NMED not later than April 24, 2006, which is now the new deadline for submittal

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of the Facility's responses to the NOD. Please provide the required information in two hard copies and on two CDs or 3.5-inch diskettes compatible with Microsoft Word.

If you have any questions on this matter please call me (505) 222-9543.

Sincerely,



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