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**CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

October 12, 2006

Ms. Debbie Hartell, Chief  
Environmental Flight  
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**RE: APPROVAL OF THE VOLUNTARY CORRECTIVE MEASURES WORK PLAN,  
SWMU 8 SOIL REMEDIATION, DECEMBER 2005  
HOLLOMAN AIR FORCE BASE, EPA ID# NM6572124422  
HWB-HAFB-06-002**

Dear Ms. Hartell:

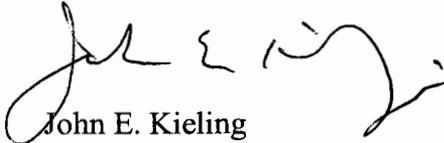
The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has reviewed Holloman Air Force Base's (the **Permittee's**) June 12, 2006 response to NMED's April 14, 2006 Notice of Deficiency for the SWMU 8 Voluntary Corrective Measures Work Plan, dated December 2005, for the removal of contaminated soils. The NMED has also reviewed the Technical Memorandum Letter Report for SWMU 8 Soil and Groundwater Sampling and Analysis (**Letter Report**), dated August 2006, which was required to be submitted in response to the Notice of Deficiency.

The NMED hereby concurs with the Response and approves the Work Plan for implementation. The Permittee is now required to submit the changed pages, as indicated in the response, for incorporation into the Work Plan. The NMED also concurs that the soil and groundwater sampling results presented in the Letter Report indicate that the extent of contamination has been adequately defined.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact David Strasser of my staff at (505) 222-9526.

Sincerely,



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