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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

September 26, 2007

Ms. Deborah Hartell
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**SUBJECT: 60-DAY EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY ON THE OPEN DETONATION UNIT PERMIT RENEWAL APPLICATION
HOLLOMAN AIR FORCE BASE, EPA ID NO. NM6572124422
HWB-HAFB-06-004**

Dear Ms. Hartell:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received Holloman Air Force Base's (HAFB's; the Facility) September 20, 2007 request for extension of the deadline for submittal of the response to the notice of deficiency (NOD) on the Open Detonation Permit renewal application.

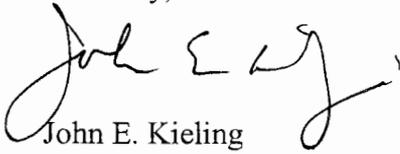
HAFB requests the extension because the Facility asserts it needs more time than was given by NMED to be able to prepare responses to the NMED's NOD comments dated July 18, 2007.

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 to NMED not later than November 23, 2007. Please provide the required information in two hard copies and on two CDs compatible with Microsoft Word:

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

Sincerely,



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