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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

November 28, 2007

Ms. Deborah Hartell
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**SUBJECT: 90-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
HAFB-04-033**

Dear Ms. Hartell:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has reviewed Holloman Air Force Base's (HAFB's; the Applicant) November 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 Applicant asserts it needs more time than was given by NMED to gather more technical data from other HAFB organizations, compile maps and to conduct detailed review of the responses for accuracy and completeness.

NMED hereby grants the extension for submittal of the responses to the NOD. The Applicant shall therefore submit the required responses to the Permit application to NMED no later than February 21, 2008. 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 contact Cornelius Amindyas at (505) 222-9543.

Sincerely,



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