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New Mexico Environment Department
Attn: Mr. John Kieling, Chief
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Dear Mr. Kieling

Holloman AFB requests an extension of the May 31, 2013 due date for the Accelerated Corrective Measures (ACM) Completion Report Work Plan pertaining to the SS-39 Missile Fuel Spill Area (SWMUs 165, 177, 179 and 181) at Holloman AFB. The report approved by NMED proposed the submittal of a work plan to complete groundwater characterization and perform long-term monitoring at the Lost River Basin and, as a result, the NMED requested that the work plan be submitted NLT 31 May 13. The Air Force Civil Engineering Center (AFCEC) evaluated Holloman AFB's request for the work plan and concluded the work plan is not in the scope of work of the existing PBR contract awarded to Tetra Tech. Site SS-39's work plan will be funded by the 2013 New Mexico-Arizona Performance Based Restoration (NM-AZ PBR) contract, which has not yet been awarded. The NM-AZ PBR Source Selection process will begin May 1, 2013 and is anticipated to award by December 31, 2013. After Source Selection is concluded and the contract awarded, preparation can commence on the requested work plan.

Holloman AFB proposes an extension of the due date to December 31, 2014. This extension will permit Holloman AFB and the contractor selected for the NM-AZ PBR to complete the work plan when funding is available to do so. Holloman AFB will notify NMED when preparation of the work plan commences.

If you have any questions, please contact DeAnna Rothhaupt, Chief of Environmental Compliance and Restoration, at 575-572-3931 or by e-mail at deanna.rothhaupt@holloman.af.mil.

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