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February 23, 2017

Mr. Adam Kusmak  
Chief, Installation Management Flight  
49<sup>th</sup> CES/CEI  
550 Tabosa Avenue  
Holloman AFB, NM 88330

**RE: APPROVAL  
RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE OF DISAPPROVAL FOR THE REMEDIAL  
INVESTIGATION WORK PLAN, ML866 FORMER BOMBING RANGE  
MUNITION RESPONSE SITE (MRS) AND SR867 POSSIBLE FIRING RANGE  
MRS, NOVEMBER 2015  
HOLLOMAN AIR FORCE BASE, EPA ID # NM6572124422  
HWB-HAFB-15-017**

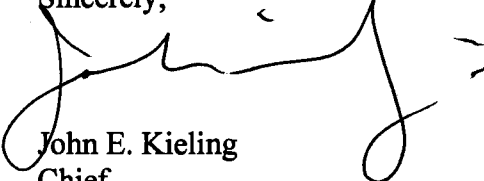
Dear Mr. Kusmak:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has reviewed the June 22 2016 response to NMED's Notice of Disapproval (NOD) dated April 18, 2016 for the above referenced document. The subject NOD response and, subsequently, the Remedial Investigation Work Plan, are approved.

Mr. Adam Kusmak  
February 23, 2017  
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If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Mr. David Strasser of my staff at (505) 222-9526.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John E. Kieling". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

John E. Kieling  
Chief  
Hazardous Waste Bureau

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