October 19, 2018

Mr. Adam Kusmak
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RE: APPROVAL
FINAL SUPPLEMENTAL RCRA FACILITY INVESTIGATION REPORT,
SITES: TU521 (SWMUs 122 AND 123) AND SS823 (AOC-823), MAY 2018
HOLLOMAN AIR FORCE BASE, EPA ID# NM6572124422
HWB-HAFB-18-007

Dear Mr. Kusmak:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has reviewed the above referenced Supplemental RCRA Facility Investigation Report (Report) submitted on May 14, 2018 by Holloman Air Force Base (Permittee). NMED hereby approves the Report. Based on the results of the investigations conducted at Solid Waste Management Units (SWMUs) 122 and 123 and Area of Concern (AOC) 823, additional corrective action is not required at the three sites at this time.

The Permittee may request a Class 3 permit modification for Corrective Action Complete for SWMUs 122 and 123 and AOC-823 in accordance with 40 C.F.R. §270.42(c). The Class 3 modification process includes requirements for public notice and for providing opportunity for public comment that are mandatory. NMED’s preliminary determination that corrective action is complete is subject to NMED’s reservation of rights related to new information or unknown conditions. As part of this process, new information may become available prior to or during the public comment period that a given site is not protective of human health or the environment. NMED reserves all rights to withdraw its preliminary decision that corrective action is complete,
if new information indicates that further corrective action is needed to protect human health or the environment.

Approval of the Report is based on the information presented in the document as it relates to the objectives of the work identified by NMED at the time of review. Approval of this document does not constitute agreement with all information or every statement presented in the document. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Mr. David Strasser of my staff at (505) 222-9526.

Sincerely,

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