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RE: Unexploded Ordinance Issue

Dear Mr. Cox:

This letter is written in response to several questions raised by members of your staff concerning unexploded ordinance.

Apparently, unexploded ordinance has been found on property (SWMUs) being investigated by Sandia National Laboratories (Sandia) under their HSWA permit. This property is owned by Kirtland Air Force Base (Kirtland) and in most, if not all, instances Kirtland is also the owner of the ordinance. If Kirtland has declared ownership of the ordinance, they may remove and dispose of the ordinance in accordance with their RCRA permit.

Note →

It is important that both Sandia and the Department of Energy maintain records of the material removed from the areas being investigated under their HSWA permit. The investigation should not, however, interfere with the removal of the material.

Should you have any additional questions, please contact Nancy Morlock of my staff at (214) 655-6650.

Sincerely yours,

David W. Neleigh for David Neleigh

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