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July 5, 2017

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**RE: EXTENSION REQUEST
RISK ASSESSMENT REPORT, BULK FUELS FACILITY SPILL
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNIT ST-106/SS-111
KIRTLAND AIR FORCE BASE
EPA ID# NM9570024423, HWB-KAFB-MISC**

Dear Colonel Gibbs and Lt. Colonel Acosta:

The New Mexico Environment Department (“NMED”) received the U.S. Air Force’s (“Permittee”) request for an extension to submit the *Bulk Fuels Facility release Solid Waste Management Unit ST-106/SS-111 Risk Assessment Report*. The Permittee is requesting that the due date for the Risk Assessment Report be extended to July 28, 2017 instead of June 30, 2017. The Permittee cites the need for additional time to incorporate comments received from the Air Force Civil Engineer Center subject matter expert (“SME”). The Permittee believes that the incorporation of the SME comments will result in an enhanced soil gas data analysis that is more conservative and comprehensive for the site.

The extension request is hereby approved. Therefore, the Risk Assessment Report is due no later than July 28, 2017.



Col. Gibbs and Lt. Col. Acosta

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If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Diane Agnew at (505) 222-9555.

Sincerely,



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