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RE: Proposed Revision 8.0 to the CPV

Dear Mr. Plum and Mr. Hargis:

Department of Energy (DOE) and Los Alamos National Laboratory/University of California (LANL/UC) had requested Revision 8.0 to the Federal Facility Compliance Order (FFCO) Site Treatment Plan (STP) Compliance Plan Volume (CPV) (Exhibit A). Upon review of the revision request, the New Mexico Environment Department Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau (HRMB) proposes that additional language be incorporated into the request. The proposed language is that *should WIPP open, the DOE will begin to transport MTRU for disposal as soon as possible, and not wait until the compliance dates under Activity A and B occur, (if applicable)*

The HRMB will include this correspondence within the documents for public review regarding the Revision 8.0 Request.

Please contact me at (505) 827-1867 if there are any questions relating to this letter or any other CPV matters.

Sincerely,

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