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General

Dr. Allyn Davis
U. S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6
Hazardous Waste Management Division
1445 Ross Avenue, Suite 1200
Dallas, TX 75202-2733

Dear Dr. Davis:

In compliance with the requirements of our Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments Permit, we have recently submitted nine Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Facility Investigation workplans for your approval. Three of these workplans address Solid Waste Management Units located in the townsite and have been accelerated at your request. This sampling will generate small amounts of mixed waste for which there is currently no available treatment option. Any corrective actions which may be taken may also generate mixed waste.

In order for these critical investigations to proceed, and in order to comply with the requirements set forth by you under our Permit, we are lifting our self-imposed moratorium on the generation of these particular wastes. It is our intent that these mixed wastes will be addressed under the proposed Federal Facilities Compliance Agreement.

If you do not concur with this action, please inform me. If you have any questions you may call me, or Steve Slaten of my staff at (505) 665-5050.

Sincerely,

Jerry L. Bellows
for Jerry L. Bellows
Area Manager

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