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Mr. Benito Garcia, Bureau Chief
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New Mexico Environment Department
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Dear Mr. Garcia:

Subject: Request for Extension to Respond

On Friday June 28, 1996, I spoke to you about the Notice of Deficiency Response regarding the waste analysis plan which was due to the New Mexico Environment Department by Friday. For the reasons stated in our conversation, the Department of Energy and the Los Alamos National Laboratory request that an extension to the due date be granted until July 12, 1996.

If you have any questions, please call me at (505) 667-5105; or your staff may call Jody Plum, Office of Environment and Projects, at (505) 665-5042. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Herman C. Le-Doux
Deputy Area Manager

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