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 Refer to: EM/ER:96-438

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**SUBJECT: ACTION ITEMS FROM AUGUST 6, 1996 MEETING**

Dear Mr. Garcia:

On August 6, 1996, several members of your staff and the Oversight Bureau met with personnel from Los Alamos National Laboratory's Environmental Restoration (ER) Project and the Department of Energy ER Program. The meeting was arranged primarily to discuss upcoming priorities for work to be performed in Fiscal Years 1997 through 1999 and to discuss the ER Project's approach to ecological risk assessment.

Enclosed is a list of those action items that resulted from this meeting. We would like for your staff to review the action items to ensure the dates and actions are accurate.

We appreciate the opportunity to meet with New Mexico Environment Department personnel and welcome future interactions to maintain communication. Please call us if you have any questions or concerns about these action items or the meeting itself. For your information, a list of meeting attendees is also enclosed.

Sincerely,

*Jorg Jansen*  
 Jorg Jansen, Program Manager  
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Sincerely,

*Theodore J. Taylor*  
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- Enclosures: (1) List of Action Items  
 (2) List of Attendees



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**ACTION ITEMS FROM NMED/LANL/DOE MEETING  
ON AUGUST 6, 1996**

1. NMED by 8/16/96: Look at monthly status letter LANL/DOE sent to Benito Garcia, dated July 25, 1996. What documents does the NMED have/not have? What needs to be done?

LANL/DOE for next monthly status letter: Clarify on attachment that the items on list are "open."

2. LANL/DOE by 8/16/96:

Send list of modifying factors for high priority sites to NMED.

Check data base for status of PRSs 0-037 and 0-038. May be a discrepancy with NMED's data base.

Explain to NMED why PRSs 16-010(c-f) are being deferred. Look for status of PRS 16-016(b). This PRS was not on the spreadsheet provided by LANL/DOE to NMED.

Submit separate spreadsheet with dates for delivery of Canyons Work Plans.

Check date for the TA-50-1 drilling. NMED's understanding was this would start in FY98; spreadsheet shows FY99. Also, check date for field work completion date of PRS 50-006(d).

Submit schedule with detailed explanation of buildings scheduled for decommissioning. Also, submit courtesy copy of LANL's D&D Site Plan.

3. NMED by 8/30/96: Write letter to LANL/DOE explaining concerns for wanting TA-21 MDAs T and U, and TA-49 PRSs a high priority.
4. NMED by approximately the end of September: Review Canyons Core Document, the Laboratory's Ground Water Protection Plan, and the Hydrogeologic Work Plan. NMED and LANL/DOE will discuss need and timeframe for meeting to discuss the integration of these documents.
5. LANL/DOE by 8/16/96: Submit cross-walk of NPDES-permitted outfall numbers with PRS numbers. Indicate which NPDES-permitted outfalls do not have PRS numbers.
6. LANL/DOE by 8/16/96: Submit schedule for delivery of the TA-35 RFI Report that was delayed this year.

For this and all future extension request letters, need to indicate how the extension request impacts other priorities, how it affects the budget, and reason for schedule slip.

7. LANL/DOE by 8/16/96: Submit letter to NMED to request letters sent from NMED to LANL/DOE regarding ER activities be sent to Joe Vozella or Ted Taylor instead of Tom Todd. Also, indicate whom to copy on these letters.
8. LANL/DOE (no date provided): Submit schedule and budget for tasks needed to complete ecological risk assessment strategy. Include a proposal for reporting ecological risk findings and appropriate ecological no further action criteria and format.

## LIST OF ATTENDEES

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