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 Refer to: EM/ER:97-177

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SUBJECT: EXTENSION REQUEST FOR SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER DATA

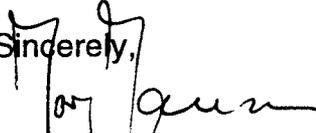
Dear Mr. Dinwiddie:

Los Alamos National Laboratory (Laboratory) is in receipt of your letter requesting all data associated with surface and groundwater collected by the Laboratory's Environmental Restoration (ER) Project. During a telephone conversation between Teri Davis of your Bureau and Dave McInroy of the ER Project, it was decided that an extension would be necessary for this request. The Laboratory stated several reasons for the extension including:

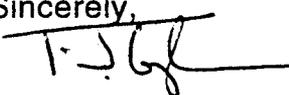
- some of the data is already in reports in the New Mexico Environment Department's (NMED's) possession;
- all data is not "report ready" and currently field units are working toward a negotiated delivery date of that information. The same resources would be required to generate these data requests. The development and delivery of one nonnegotiated request may jeopardize the negotiated compliance-driven delivery.
- data requests need to be specific instead of requests for "all" information. These requests are very resource-demanding and specific requests would still satisfy your needs and alleviate the demands on our limited resources.

Based on the above described conversation and stated reasons, the Laboratory requests an extension for the delivery until a new date can be negotiated between our staffs. We anticipate a delivery schedule and scope identification being discussed at our Tuesday, May 13, 1997, meeting.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,


Jorg Jansen, Program Manager
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