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Office of the Director

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John R. D'Antonio, Jr., Secretary
New Mexico Environment Department
Harold S. Runnels Building
1190 St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, NM 87502-0110

SUBJECT: Delegation of Signature Authority

Dear Mr. D'Antonio:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of a change in signature authority for the University of California. As Director of the Los Alamos National Laboratory I have delegated to my Associate Director for Operations, James Holt, the authority to sign all documents requiring certification under the New Mexico Hazardous Waste Regulations as well as other State and Federal Environmental Statutes and Regulations. In the past the Director of the Laboratory's ES&H Division has also been delegated that authority, and the University of California wishes to continue that practice. Recently the ES&H Division was reorganized into two new Divisions; Risk Reduction and Environmental Stewardship (RRES) and Health, Safety, and Radiation (HSR), with most of the Laboratory's environmental work consolidated in RRES Division. Currently, Beverly Ramsey is the RRES Division Leader and Ken Hargis is the RRES Deputy Division Leader.

From this date forward, and until further notice, James Holt, Beverly Ramsey, and Ken Hargis are delegated the authority to certify, review, approve and/or sign all documents pertaining to environmental permits and other such documents as required by New Mexico and Federal Statutes and Regulations on behalf of the University of California. This delegation of authority supersedes all previous delegations relating to environmental permits and compliance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John C. Browne'.

John C. Browne
Director

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