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HAZARDOUS WASTE SECTION

Mr. Michael Horan
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Dear Mr. Horan:

Thank you for your suggestion that the Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) application materials be relocated. We coordinated with the USEPA and selected the Espanola library as more centrally located to the people in the immediate vicinity of LANL. The enclosed news release was provided to all the local newspapers, including Taos. I hope this meets your needs and I look forward to your comments on the application.

Sincerely,

C. Kelley Crossman
Permitting Supervisor
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PRESS RELEASE

The Hazardous Waste Bureau of the New Mexico Environmental Improvement Division is reviewing an application from the Los Alamos National Laboratory for a hazardous waste incinerator, treatment and storage permit. The Laboratory is currently operating under interim status regulations and is required by State regulations to obtain a specific operating permit for these activities. A copy of the application and some of the supporting documentation has been placed in the Espanola public library for public review. This material was formerly in the Los Alamos public library and was moved to the Espanola library at 314-A Oate (the Chama Highway) to be more readily accessible to the people in the area. The public is invited to review the material and provide written comments to the EID. All written comments will be considered in the permitting process.