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**CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

July 6, 2009

The Honorable John F. Pecos  
Pueblo of Cochiti  
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**SUBJECT: NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD AND OPPORTUNITY TO  
REQUEST A PUBLIC HEARING ON A REVISED DRAFT HAZARDOUS  
WASTE PERMIT FOR LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY**

Dear Governor Pecos:

Enclosed is a **Public Notice** regarding the revised draft Hazardous Waste Permit for Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL). LANL is a research laboratory owned by the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) / National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA) and operated jointly by the DOE/NNSA and Los Alamos National Security, LLC (LANS), collectively referred to as the Applicants. LANL is located in Los Alamos County approximately 60 miles north-northeast of Albuquerque and 25 miles northwest of Santa Fe and occupies approximate 40 square miles. LANL is located at the following mailing addresses: DOE/NNSA, Los Alamos Site Office, 3747 West Jemez Road, Bldg 1410, Los Alamos, NM 87544; and LANL/LANS, PO Box 1663, MS K491, Los Alamos, NM 87545. The Applicant's primary contact for this action is: Ms. Debora L. Hall, Outreach/Public Involvement, LANL, PO Box 1663, MS M996, Los Alamos, NM 87545.

The enclosed Public Notice provides the location where the Administrative Record, including the Permit Application, revised draft Permit, Fact Sheet, and supporting documentation, for this action can be reviewed, and provides procedures for submitting comments and requesting a public hearing. It also explains in summary form the New Mexico Environment Department's (Department's) withdrawal of a previous draft Permit, and provides notification of a public



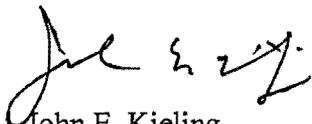
meeting on the revised draft Permit. Comments and requests for public hearing must be received no later than **5:00 p.m. MDT, September 4, 2009**.

Any person seeking additional information regarding this notice may contact:

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Sincerely,



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