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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

July 13, 2009

A. John Ahlquist
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Walnut Creek, CA 94597

**SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO COMMENTS ON AUGUST 27, 2007 DRAFT
HAZARDOUS WASTE PERMIT FOR LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL
LABORATORY**

Dear Mr. Ahlquist:

I am in receipt of your e-mail dated July 9, 2009, in which you inquire about the location of any response to comments on the aforementioned draft permit. As the New Mexico Environment Department's (Department's) July 6, 2009 letter to you stated, not only was a revised draft permit for Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) made available for public comment on July 6, 2009, but also the August 27, 2007 draft permit was withdrawn on the same day, rendering comments and requests for hearing on that draft permit moot. The Department therefore will not be responding to any comments received. Comments and requests for public hearing on the revised draft permit are now being accepted, and must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. MDT, September 4, 2009.

Sincerely,

James P. Bearzi
Chief
Hazardous Waste Bureau

cc: J. Goldstein, NMED Deputy Secretary

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