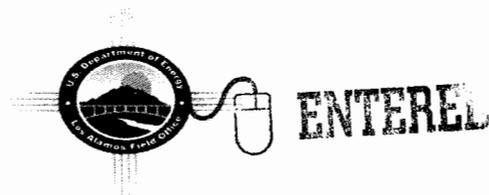


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Dear Mr. Kieling:

**Subject: Notification of Anticipated Noncompliance with the Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) Hazardous Waste Facility Permit, EPA ID No. NM890010515**

The purpose of this letter is to notify the New Mexico Environment Department Hazardous Waste Bureau (NMED-HWB) of an anticipated noncompliance as required by the Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) Hazardous Waste Facility Permit. Permit Section 1.9.11 states the Permittees shall give advance written notice to the Department of any planned changes to any permitted unit at the Facility or activity which may result in noncompliance with Permit requirements (*see* 40 CFR § 270.30(1)(2)).

An eyewash and safety shower located at the Technical Area (TA) -55 Building 4 (PF4), Outside Pad, Container Storage Unit has been scheduled to be upgraded. The installation of the new assembly (piping, shower head, eyewash sink, valves) will take approximately one week. The eyewash and safety shower are listed as decontamination equipment in the Attachment D, Contingency Plan, TA-55, Table D-3, TA-55 Container Storage Pad listing of emergency equipment. Permit Section 2.10.1 cannot be attained for the time period of one week, as the shower will be disabled for that time frame.

Remedial measures during the new assembly install will be:

- No corrosive waste will be in storage on the Outside Pad or in the hazardous waste less than ninety day storage area, located on the Outside Pad.
- A portable eyewash station will be available on the Outside Pad.
- The closest safety shower will be identified and its location posted.
- Waste movement will be minimized during this time frame.
- The two man rule will be in effect for all waste management activities including administrative.



The anticipated noncompliance is associated with Permit Section 2.10.1, which states the Permittees shall maintain at the Facility and at each permitted unit the internal communication and alarm system devices, fire control equipment, spill control equipment, and decontamination equipment listed in the tables in Attachment A (*Technical Area Unit Descriptions*) and Attachment D (*Contingency Plan*) (see 40 CFR § 264.32(b)(2)).

If you have comments or questions regarding this notification, please contact Gene E. Turner (DOE) at (505) 667-5794 or Mark P. Haagenstad at (505) 665-2014.

Sincerely,



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