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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

February 8, 2019

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RE: APPROVAL

CLASS 1 PERMIT MODIFICATION REQUEST TO ADD SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNIT 40-003(A) AND AREA OF CONCERN C-06-019 TO TABLE K-1, ATTACHMENT K, AND TO REMOVE AREA OF CONCERN C-06-019 FROM TABLE K-3, ATTACHMENT K, OF THE LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY PERMIT LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY EPA ID #NM0890010515 HWB-LANL-19-003

Dear Messrs. Hintze and Morgan:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the United States Department of Energy (DOE) and Newport News Nuclear BWXT-Los Alamos, LLC (N3B)'s *Class 1 Permit Modification Request to Add Solid Waste Management Unit 40-003(a) and Area of Concern C-06-019 to Table K-1, Attachment K, and to Remove Area of Concern C-06-019 from Table K-3, Attachment K, of the Los Alamos National Laboratory Hazardous Waste Facility Permit* (PMR) dated and received January 24, 2019, and referenced by N3B-19-0002. DOE, N3B and Triad National Security LLC (Triad) are collectively referred to as the Permittees.

The Permittees are proposing to modify Permit Attachment K to add solid waste management unit (SWMU) 40-003(a) and area of concern (AOC) C-06-019 to Table K-1, SWMUs and AOCs



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Requiring Corrective Action, and to remove AOC C-06-019 from Table K-3, SWMUs and AOCs Corrective Action Complete Without Controls.

NMED has reviewed this PMR in accordance with the New Mexico Administrative Code, Title 20, Chapter 4, Part 1 (20.4.1 NMAC) [incorporating Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Title 40 §270.42] and hereby issues this approval.

SWMU 40-003(a) consists of two former detonation/scrap burn areas located approximately 450 feet and 1300 feet from structure 40-15 at Technical Area 40. AOC C-06-019, consists of contaminated soil from the former generator building (06-38). The SWMU and AOC have been added to the Permit Attachment K, Table K-1, and the AOC C-06-019 has been removed from Table K-3.

An electronic version of the Permit that incorporates the modifications is enclosed with this letter. The modified Permit is also available on the NMED's Hazardous Waste Bureau website at: https://www.env.nm.gov/hazardous-waste/lanl-permit/

The New Mexico Hazardous Waste Management Regulation at 20.4.1.901.A (10) NMAC states "A final permit decision shall become effective thirty (30) days after the notice of the decision has been served on the applicant..." NMED approves this Permit modification on February XX, 2019; hence, the effective date of the modification shall be on March XX, 2019.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Siona Briley at (505) 476-6049.

Sincerely, John E. Kieling Chief Hazardous Waste Bureau

Attachment: 1) CD Attachment

cc w/o attachments:

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