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Re: Request for water quality data collected by the Environmental Restoration Group and ESH-18 Group

Dear Mr. Vozella:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED), Department of Energy Oversight Bureau (DOE OB) is requesting all validated water quality data collected by the Environmental Restoration (ER) group during the Upper Sandia Canyon investigation.

We are also requesting all validated water quality data collected by ESH-18 from springs located in Arroyo del LaDelfe, Starmers Gulch, and Upper Pajarito Canyon.

We are requesting that in the future, all ground and surface water quality data be submitted to the DOE OB within thirty (30) days of validation or ninety (90) of receipt from the laboratory (as per the AIP Site Specific Protocol). This would provide timely notification of potential water quality problems and provide us with the opportunity to verify the results through our own sampling. If you have any questions please contact Michael Dale at 672-0449 or Ralph Ford-Schmid at 827-1536.

Sincerely,

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