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**RE: RECEIPT OF STATUS REPORT FOR THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT
UNITS 03-010(a) AND 03-001(e) INTERIM MEASURE ACTIVITIES
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY
EPA ID #NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-06-002**

Dear Messrs. Gregory and McInroy:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of the United States Department of Energy and the Los Alamos National Security, LLC (collectively, the "Permittees") document entitled *Status Report for the Solid Waste Management Units 03-010(a) and 03-001(e) Interim Measure Activities at Technical Area 03* (Report), dated July 2007 and referenced by LA-UR-07-4714/EP2007-0439. NMED has reviewed the Report and concurs with the Permittees' conclusions and recommendations. The Permittees must repair the leak in the culvert by September 30, 2007 and provide written certification to NMED that such repairs were completed no later than October 15, 2007. The Permittees also must continue to monitor wells B-10 and B-13 on a quarterly basis. The Permittees will use the damaged well B-9 for water level measurements unless instructed by NMED in the future to plug, abandon, or replace well B-9.

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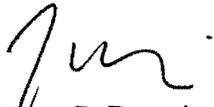


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To the best of their abilities, the Permittees should ensure that wells B-10 and B-13 are not damaged by snow removal equipment in the future.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Darlene Goering (505) 476-6042.

Sincerely,



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