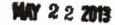


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LAM Groundwater Chromium Plume Sandia and Mortandad Canyons

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Dear Mr. Yanicak:

Subject: Thirty-day extension request for the Department of Energy's review of the report titled, "Chromium Travel Times in the Regional Aquifer, Mortandad Canyon, New Mexico, April 29, 2013, NMED Oversight Bureau."

This letter serves as the Department of Energy's official request for a 30-day extension to complete the review of the report titled, "Chromium Travel Times in the Regional Aquifer, Mortandad Canyon, New Mexico April 29, 2013, NMED Oversight Bureau." If granted, this extension would result in a new release date for the Final Report of June 28, 2013. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

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