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**RE: PERIODIC MONITORING REPORT FOR CHROMIUM  
INVESTIGATION MONITORING GROUP, SECOND QUARTER,  
MONITORING YEAR 2016  
EPA ID#NM0890010515  
HWB-LANL-16-042**

Dear Messrs. Hintze and Brandt:

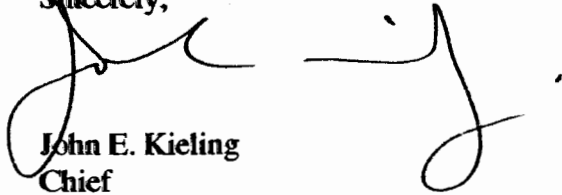
The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of the United States Department of Energy (DOE) and the Los Alamos National Security, L.L.C.'s (collectively, the Permittees) document entitled *Periodic Monitoring Report for Chromium Investigation Monitoring Group, Second Quarter, Monitoring Year 2016* (Report) dated August, 2016 and referenced by EP2016-0090. The Report was received on August 24, 2016. NMED has reviewed the Report and has no comments at this time.



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Please contact Michael Dale at (505) 476-3078 if you have questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John E. Kieling". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "J" and "K".

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