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April 2, 1997

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**RE: Approval of Extension Request for Submittal of an Ecological Risk
Assessment for Technical Area-3 Potential Release Site (PRS) 3-010(a) and
Technical Area-32 PRSs 32-001, 32-002(a, b), 32-003, and 32-004, at Los
Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) NM0890010515**

Dear Mr. Taylor and Mr. Jansen:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau (HRMB) is in receipt of the March 20, 1997, letter from LANL, referenced by EM/ER: 97-072, requesting an extension for submittal of an Ecological Risk Assessment for Potential Release Sites (PRSs) 3-010(a), 32-001, 32-002(a, b), 32-003, and 32-004 of June 1, 1997. LANL's request is for an extension until August 29, 1997.

HRMB hereby approves LANL's request for an extension, and expects to receive the response no later than August 29, 1997, as per LANL's request.

If you have any questions please contact either myself or Mr. John Kieling of my staff at (505) 827-1558.

Sincerely,

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