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SUBJECT: EXTENSION REQUEST FOR SUBMITTAL OF THE GEOPHYSICS REPORT FOR POTENTIAL RELEASE SITE (PRS) 03-010(a) AT THE LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY (LANL)

Dear Mr. Young:

The Department of Energy (DOE) and LANL Risk Reduction and Environmental Stewardship-Remediation (RRES-R) Program (formerly the Environmental Restoration Project) request a 60-day extension for submittal of the geophysical investigation report for PRS 03-010(a). In its April 1, 2002, letter (HWB-LANL-01-005) the New Mexico Environment Department Hazardous Waste Bureau (NMED-HWB) required the submittal of a report no later than December 31, 2002 (with the results of a geophysical investigation), if additional wells were deemed unnecessary at PRS 03-010(a). This extension is being requested because, due to circumstances beyond NMED-HWB or RRES-R personnel control, the relevant parties have not been able to schedule a meeting for discussing the geophysical investigation results until the second week of December 2002. This late date does not allow time for preparing a report, should one be required by NMED-HWB.

We look forward to meeting with NMED to share the information gathered during the geophysical investigation, and to come to an agreement on what the report will entail.

If you have any questions, please call Gabriela Lopez Escobedo at (505) 665-73529 or David Gregory at (505) 667-5808.

Sincerely,

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