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MEMORANDUM

TO: File

FROM: Neelam Dhawan, Environmental Scientist & Specialist O, Permits Management ND

SUBJECT: SWMU 3-011

DATE: August 6, 2003

Received a phone call from Paula Bertino (LANL) on July 31, 2003 regarding SWMU 3-011. A parking lot is being built at TA-3 that is going to cover the SWMU. She thought she will have two week notification but construction is already underway. SWMU 3-011 is a concrete pad where carboys with trace amounts of chemicals were rinsed.

SWMU 3-011 was included in a NFA proposal that was submitted in September 2002. She wanted to know if NMED had any concerns. I told her to send a notification to NMED in writing to do a quick review of the site before construction started. She consulted with Dave McInroy and stated LANL's position **that there is no permit requirement for LANL to notify NMED if a SWMU is being impacted by construction.**

I did a quick review of the SWMU and do not think it needs additional samples at this time. LANL has samples the SWMU and the VOC concentrations found at the site are less than SALs and do not pose any threat to the human health or the environment. Called Paula on August 6, 2003 and told her I did not think additional samples were required for the site at this time.



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