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**Subject: 15-Day Sampling Notification for the Upper Cañada del Buey Aggregate Area
Investigation Activities**

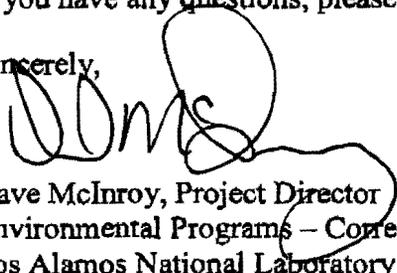
Dear Mr. Bearzi:

Beginning January 4, 2010, Los Alamos National Laboratory is scheduled to begin execution of investigation activities in the Upper Cañada del Buey Aggregate Area. The scope of the sampling activities is documented in the Investigation Work Plan for the Upper Cañada del Buey Aggregate Area, Revision 1, dated September 2008 (EP2008-0508); and the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) Notice of Approval letter dated October 20, 2008 (HWB-LANL-08-013).

Sampling activities are expected to last 5 months, from January to May 2010. The sampling results will be presented in the investigation report for this aggregate area, due to NMED on November 30, 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Dave McInroy at (505) 667-0819 (mcinroy@lanl.gov).

Sincerely,



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