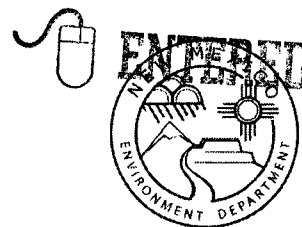




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**RE: STATUS REPORT FOR PUMPING TEST AT WELL R-42
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY
EPA ID#NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-13-054**

Dear Messrs. Maggiore and Mousseau:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the United States Department of Energy (DOE) and the Los Alamos National Security, L.L.C.'s (LANS) (collectively, the Permittees) *Status Report for Pumping Test at Well R-42* (Report) dated September 27, 2013 and referenced by LA-UR-13-27463/EP2013-0227.

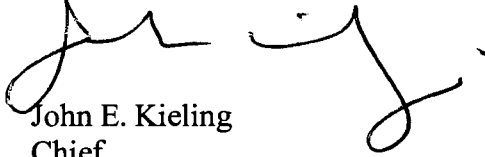
NMED has reviewed the Report and has no comments at this time.



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Please contact Michael Dale at (505) 661-2673 if you have questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John E. Kielling', with a stylized, flowing script.

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