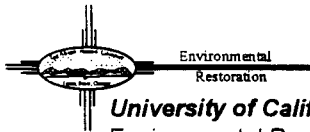


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**SUBJECT: EXTENSION REQUEST FOR THE RESOURCE  
CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT FACILITY  
INVESTIGATION (RFI) REPORT FOR EXPLOSIVES AREAS  
LOCATED IN TECHNICAL AREAS (TAs)\*6, 7, 8, 9, 22, 40, 58,  
AND 62**


Dear Mr. Garcia:

The Los Alamos National Laboratory's Environmental Restoration Project requests an extension of the deadline for the RFI Report for the explosives areas located in TAs 6, 7, 8, 9, 22, 40, 58, and 62. We request that our current projected May 31, 1996, delivery date be extended to August 15, 1996.

Because of missing analyses for high explosives, volatile organic compounds, and semivolatile organic compounds at five potential release sites (PRSs), samples were recollected, and we are awaiting results. With this extension request, we will be able to include the results of these analyses. In addition, we have added a dozen additional PRSs to those originally projected for this report. The addition of those PRSs to this report is expected to save time and resources in the long run, both for the ER Project and for the regulators conducting the review. We feel confident that we will be able to complete the report by the extended deadline.

Please ask your office to contact Cheryl Rofer at (505) 667-2988 or Mike Gilgosch at (505) 667-5794, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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