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Dear Mr. Keiling:

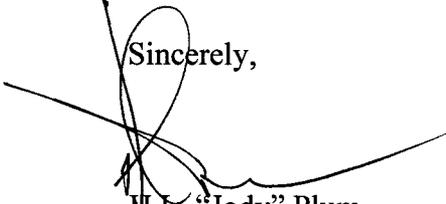
**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION TO THE TECHNICAL AREA (TA) -14
NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY**

The purpose of this letter is to request an extension to the Notice of Deficiency for the Technical Area (TA) -14 permit application. If approved, the extension period will extend until February 2, 1998.

This letter follows up on the conversation you had with Jack Ellvinger on December 3, 1997. The need for the extension is based upon the depth of the information requested and the holiday closure of the laboratory for almost two weeks.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (505) 665-5042.

Sincerely,


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