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**RE: CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION
AREA OF CONCERN 16-024(v) AND SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNIT
16-031(f) AT TECHNICAL AREA 16
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY
EPA ID #NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-07-004**

Dear Messrs. Gregory and McInroy:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of the United States Department of Energy and the Los Alamos National Security, LLC (collectively, the "Permittees") document entitled *Remedy Completion Report for the Investigation and Remediation of Area of Concern 16-024(v) and Solid Waste Management Units 16-026(r) and 16-031(f) at Technical Area 16, Revision 1* (Report) dated June 2007 and referenced by LA-UR-07-3813/EP2007-0359. In the Report, the Permittees requested certificates of completion for AOC 16-024(v) and SWMU 16-031(f).

AOC 16-024(v) is a former high explosives storage magazine. SWMU 16-031(f) is a former



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drainline and outfall from a decommissioned potable water chlorination station. NMED has determined that corrective action is complete and the requirements of the Consent Order have been satisfied for these sites. If new information becomes available that indicates that these sites may pose a risk to human health or the environment, NMED will require the Permittees to conduct additional corrective action at these sites. Pursuant to Section VII.E.6.b of the Consent Order, NMED hereby certifies that corrective action is complete without controls at AOC 06-024(v) and SWMU 16-031(f).

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Darlene Goering of my staff at (505) 476-6042.

Sincerely,



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