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January 23, 2015

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**RE: REVIEW
INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF EROSION CONTROLS IN
DRAINAGES TO THE 90s LINE POND AT TECHNICAL AREA 16
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY
EPA ID #NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-14-067**

Dear Messrs. Maggiore and Brandt:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the United States Department of Energy (DOE) and the Los Alamos National Security, LLC (LANS) (collectively, the Permittees) *Inspection and Maintenance of Erosion Controls in Drainages to the 90s Line Pond at Technical Area 16*, dated November 25, 2014 and referenced by ADESH-14-124. The Approval with Modifications letter for the Supplemental Investigation Work Plan for consolidated units 16-007(a)-99 and 16-008(a)-99 (December 31, 2008), required that annual inspection of the erosion controls in the drainages to the 90s Line Pond be conducted and any conducted maintenance of the erosion controls or repairs, if needed, be reported to NMED.

The Permittees report that all controls installed in 2008 in the major drainages to the 90s Line Pond are in good operating condition with no evidence of erosion in the drainages. The Permittees have met their obligation to conduct an annual inspection and maintenance of erosion controls in the drainages to the 90s Line Pond for 2014. A report documenting the inspection and maintenance of erosion controls for 2015 must be submitted no later than **November 30**,

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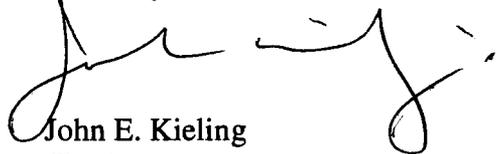


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2015, and annually by November 30th every year thereafter.

Please contact Neelam Dhawan of my staff at (505) 476-6042 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John E. Kieling". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "J" and a long, sweeping underline.

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