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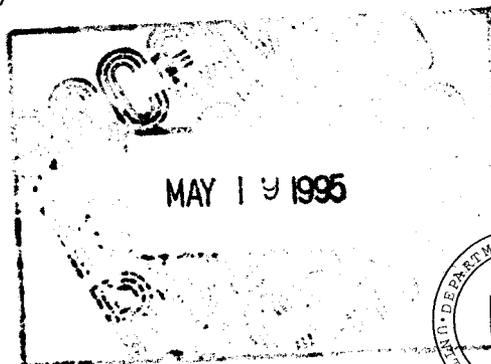
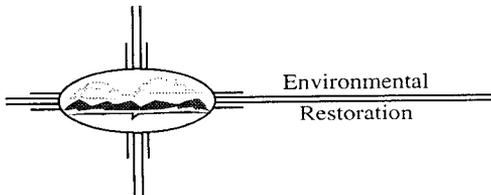
Ms. Barbara Driscoll
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**SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF DECISIONS MADE DURING MAY 3, 1995,
CONFERENCE CALL CONCERNING USE OF THE LOS
ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY (LABORATORY) HIGH
EXPLOSIVES (HE) SPOT TEST**

Dear Ms. Driscoll:

Based on discussions in a conference call between representatives of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the Laboratory, and the Department of Energy (DOE) on May 3, 1995, the Laboratory will perform field work at Technical Area 16 using the HE spot test for biasing laboratory sampling locations. Specifically, the Laboratory will implement Fiscal Year ~~1995~~ field work for Aggregates 5.2, 5.3, 5.4, 5.5, 5.6, 5.12, and 5.30 as outlined in the Field Unit 3 Field Implementation Plan. Implementation of sampling for Aggregates 5.8, 5.16, and additional aggregates scheduled for sampling in future fiscal years is on hold pending discussions between EPA, DOE, and the Laboratory scheduled for the week of May 8, 1995.

Participants in the conference call included you (EPA), Brad Martin (Laboratory), Roy Michelotti (Laboratory), Donald Hickmott (Laboratory), Everett Trollinger (DOE), and John McCann (Neptune & Company).

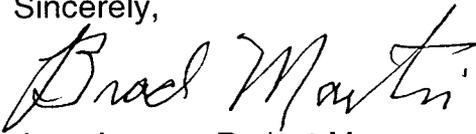


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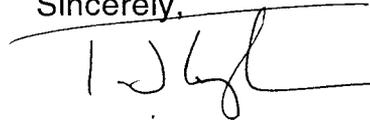
Thank you for discussing continued use of the HE spot test with us. If you have questions concerning this letter, please contact Brad Martin at 505-667-6080 or Everett Trollinger at 505)-667-5801.

Sincerely,



Jorg Jansen, Project Manager
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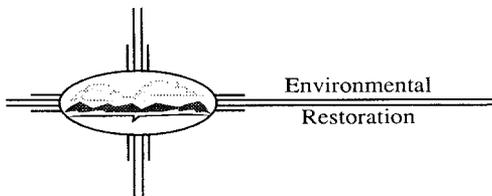
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