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May 6, 2004

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**SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF REVISED SCHEDULE  
CLOSURE PLAN FOR THE TA-16-401 AND 406 SAND FILTERS  
RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT INTERIM  
STATUS UNITS  
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY EPA ID# NM0890010515  
HWB-LANL-02-014**

Dear Mssrs. Nanos and Erickson:

This letter is in response to a letter from Tony Grieggs to Carl Will, dated April 20, 2004, requesting New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) approval of a revised closure schedule for the above-referenced Closure Plan. The revised schedule is shown on revised Table 1, included as an attachment to the April 20 letter.

NMED approves the revised closure schedule.

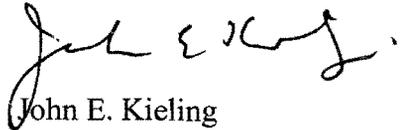


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If you have any questions or need additional information please contact me at 505-428-2535.

Sincerely,



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