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March 26, 1997

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Los Alamos, New Mexico 87544

**RE: Approval of the Request for Extension
Notice of Deficiency Response
RFI Report for Technical Areas 18 and 27
Los Alamos National Laboratory
NM0890010515**

Dear Mr. Todd:

The Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau (HRMB) of the New Mexico Environment Department has reviewed and approves the Request for Extension (dated March 19, 1997 and referenced by EM/ER:97-078) for the Response to the Notice of Deficiency pertaining to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Facility Investigation Report for Technical Areas 18 and 27. The Response must be submitted to HRMB by May 5, 1997.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me or Mr. John Kieling, HRMB's LANL Facility Manager, at (505) 827-1558.

Sincerely,


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