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**SUBJECT: APPROVAL AND CERTIFICATES OF COMPLETION
REMEDY COMPLETION REPORT FOR THE INVESTIGATION AND
REMEDICATION OF CONSOLIDATED UNIT 19-001-99 (FORMER
TECHNICAL AREA 19/EAST GATE LABORATORY)
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY
EPA ID # NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-05-011**

Dear Messrs. Gregory and McInroy:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of the *Supplemental Response to the Notice of Disapproval for the Remedy Completion Report for the Investigation and Remediation of Consolidated Unit 19-001-99 (Former TA-19/East Gate Laboratory)* (Response), dated June 9, 2006 and referenced by ER2006-0494. NMED has reviewed and hereby approves the Response, the *Response to the Notice of Disapproval for the Remedy Completion Report for the Investigation and Remediation of Consolidated Unit 19-001-99* (dated December 9, 2005 and referenced by ER2005-0919), and the *Remedy Completion Report for the Investigation and Remediation of Consolidated Unit 19-001-99* (dated July 2005 and referenced by LA-UR-05-0975/ER2005-0068).



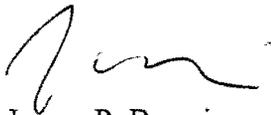
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Consolidated unit 19-001-99 consists of solid waste management unit (SWMU) 19-001 (a septic system); SWMU 19-002 (a surface disposal area); SWMU 19-003 (a sewer drain line and outfall); and area of concern C-19-001 (potential soil contamination beneath buildings). NMED has determined that the requirements of the Consent Order have been satisfied for these sites. NMED hereby issues "Corrective Action Complete without Controls" certificates of completion for SWMUs 19-001, 19-002, 19-003, and area of concern C-19-001, pursuant to Section VII.E.6.b of the Consent Order.

If you have any questions, please contact Darlene Goering of my staff at (505) 428-2542.

Sincerely,



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