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**CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

March 9, 2009

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**RE: APPROVAL  
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION FOR THE NOTICE OF DISAPPROVAL  
RESPONSE FOR CORRECTIVE MEASURES EVALUATION REPORT FOR  
MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA A, SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNIT 21-  
014, AT TECHNICAL AREA 21,  
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY (LANL),  
EPA ID #NM0890010515  
HWB-LANL-08-023**

Dear Messrs. Gregory and McInroy:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the United States Department of Energy (DOE) and the Los Alamos National Security, L.L.C.'s (LANS) (collectively, the Permittees) *Request for an Extension for the Notice of Disapproval for Corrective Measures Evaluation Report for Material Disposal Area A, Solid Waste Management Unit 21-014, at Technical Area 21 (CME)*, dated February 20, 2009 and referenced by EP2009-0111.

The Permittees have shown good cause for an extension. NMED therefore grants the extension. The revised CME must be submitted no later than May 15, 2009.

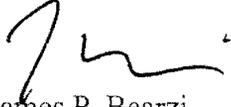
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Please contact Kristen Van Horn of my staff at (505) 476-6046 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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