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**CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Mr. Harold Valencia
Area Manager
U. S. Department of Energy
Los Alamos, New Mexico 87544

Re: TA-50 Batch Waste Treatment Facility (BWTF)

Dear Mr. Valenica:

Pursuant to § 74-4-4.3.A NMSA 1978, the New Mexico Environmental Improvement Division (NMEID) hereby requests Los Alamos National Laboratories (LANL) to provide the following information:

1. Whether or not the TA-50 BWTF is currently operating, and, if so, the date such operations began;
2. Whether or not the TA-50 BWTF has ever been operational in the past, and, if so, the dates of such operation; and
3. Whether or not LANL intends to operate the TA-50 BWTF in the future, and, if so, the scheduled date for beginning the treatment process operations.

Please supply this information by November 10, 1986. Failure to supply this information within this time period subjects you to penalties of up to \$10,000 per day under § 74-4-12 NMSA 1978.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,
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