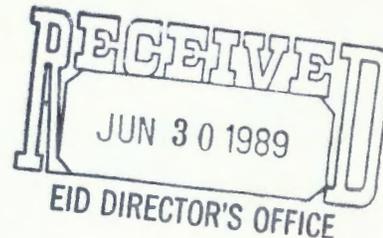


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Richard Mitzelfelt
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1190 St. Francis Drive
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Re: Emergency Order to Prevent the Burning of
Radioactive Waste

Dear Mr. Mitzelfelt:

I am writing to express my concerns about the incineration of radioactive and hazardous waste. I understand New Mexico does not have any regulations for radioactive emissions, and that dioxins can be emitted from the stacks at this time.

I insist that the Environment Improvement Division issue an emergency order (by authority of the New Mexico Air Quality Control Act - Section 74-2-10) to prevent the burning of radioactive waste until the State of New Mexico can adopt standards in a public forum to regulate this burning. The EPA in Dallas should be included in this process.

The hearings scheduled on this matter for July 18 should include the incineration of both hazardous and radioactive materials permits.

Thank you for your attention to this crucial matter. You can't hide from air! We have a precious resource here in New Mexico - clean air and blue skies. Let's work together to keep the freshness here. Many thanks,

Joni Arends

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