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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED



Mr. Benito J. Garcia, Chief  
 Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau  
 New Mexico Environment Department  
 2044 Galisteo Street, Building A  
 P. O. Box 26110  
 Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Mr. Garcia:

Subject: Certification Concerning the Solidification Process at Technical Area (TA) 50-37-118, Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL)

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with the certification for the above referenced issue. It is our belief that this unit appeared on the map in your possession as an artifact of the now defunct treatment skid project.

At one time Building 37 at TA-50 was designated as a location where proposed treatment skids were to be put in place. That program never materialized and these units were never built or operated. The attached certification from the Division Director and Facility Manager having authority over Building 37 attest to the fact that this skid was never built or operated in this building.

Should you have any questions concerning this issue, please call me at (505) 665-5042.

Sincerely,

H. L. "Jody" Plum  
 Office of Environment

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Enclosure

RED LAMIL TA-50 199



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# CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the proposed TA-50-37-118 solidification unit was never built and therefore no mixed or hazardous waste was ever stored at the unit.



Sara B. Helmick  
Group Leader for Chemistry Facilities Operations

1/13/99

Date



Alfred P. Sattelberger  
Acting Division Director for Chemical Science  
And Technology Division

1-13-99

Date