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**RE: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION FOR SUBMITTAL OF REVISED
INVESTIGATION AND REMEDIATION REPORT FOR THE CONSOLIDATED
SWMU 53-002(a)-99, INACTIVE WASTEWATER IMPOUNDMENTS, AND AOC
53-008, STORAGE AREA, AT TECHNICAL AREA 53, LOS ALAMOS
NATIONAL LABORATORY EPA ID #NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-04-002**

Dear Messrs. Gregory and Nanos:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of the United States Department of Energy and the Regents of the University of California's (collectively, the Permittees) Request for Extension for the Submittal of Revised Investigation and Remediation Report for the Consolidated SWMU 53-002(a)-99, Inactive Wastewater Impoundments, and AOC 53-008, Storage Area, at Technical Area 53, dated June 21, 2005 and referenced by ER2005-0392. The Permittees have requested an extension of sixty (60) days beyond the original 30 days specified in the Notice of Disapproval (NOD), dated June 2, 2005, and received by the Permittees on June 8, 2005. NMED hereby approves the extension request for the aforementioned report. The revised submittal date for the *Revised Investigation and Remediation Report for the Consolidated SWMU 53-002(a)-99, Inactive Wastewater Impoundments, and AOC 53-008, Storage Area, at Technical Area 53* will be September 8, 2005. As the Permittees are aware, this extension only applies to the submittal of the revised report, not the NOD comments.



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The NOD comments must be submitted by July 8, 2005 in accordance with the requirements in the June 2, 2005 NOD letter.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at (505) 428-2546.

Sincerely,


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