



LANL TA-54
MDA L
subsurface vapor
monitoring data

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Dave,

LANL was notified of inaccuracies in their PMR data for MDA L on January 11, 2012. Through subsequent email correspondence between NMED and LANL staff between January 23, 2012 and February 3, 2012 and research into the analytical laboratory and data validation contractor's reports, I was able to deduce that data from 2009 had been mistakenly qualified as non-detect (ND) by LANL's data validation contractor.

In LANL's Response to Comments on the PMR, dated February 14, 2012, LANL concurred with my conclusions that 16 sample results were incorrectly qualified as ND and stated that, "[t]he laboratory will update the database to correct the sample qualifiers to detection status."

To date, May 2, 2012, LANL has not corrected these errors in the database.

Thanks,

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