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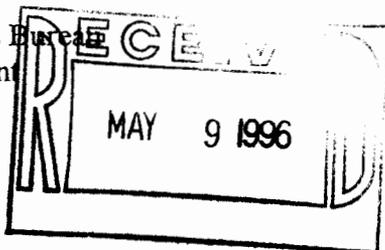
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Dear Mr. Garcia:

Subject: Request for Extension to Reply - Notice of Deficiency (NOD) for DOE/LANL
Closure Plan for Technical Area 55 (TA-55), Oxygen Sparging Unit (OSU)

The purpose of this letter is to confirm my verbal request of May 7, 1996, for an extension of two weeks to complete our response to the subject NOD. If this request is granted, our response to you regarding this NOD will be mailed no later than close of business May 22, 1996.

Your consideration of this matter is appreciated. Should you have any questions, please contact me at (505) 665-5042.

Sincerely,

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