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May 10, 1996

Colonel W.P. Ard
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**RE: Extension of Submittal Date of Draft RFI Report on SWMU 114,
and Area of Concern AOC MA02**

Dear Colonel Ard:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter which the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED), Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau (HRMB) received on March 28, 1996. The purpose of your letter was to request a 30 day extension of the due date for the Draft RCRA Facility Investigation (RFI) report on the Solid Waste Management Unit (SWMU) 114, and Area of Concern (AOC) MA02, to June 1, 1996. In your letter you explained that Cannon Air Force Base's (CAFB) contractor, the Omaha District Corps of Engineers were experiencing problems connected with drilling of monitoring wells. You also explained that ground water recharge to the installed monitoring wells is slow, substantially extending the time required to develop, purge, and sample the wells.

In light of the above reason, HRMB hereby grants the CAFB a 30 day extension. This extension period takes effect from May 14, 1996 through June 12, 1996. NMED requires that by the end of the 30 days CAFB would have obtained all the required information together, and submitted it to HRMB. If you have any questions on this matter you may call me or Cornelius Amindyas at (505) 827-1561.

Sincerely,

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Barbara Hoditschek, Manager
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