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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

March 08, 2021

Colonel Robert A. Masaitis
Commander, 27th Special Operations Wing
100 Air Commando Way, Suite 100
Cannon Air Force Base
New Mexico 88103-5214

RE: APPROVAL
EXTENSION REQUEST FOR 2020 ANNUAL GROUNDWATER MONITORING REPORT
MELROSE AIR FORCE RANGE
EPA ID# NM5572124456
HWB-MELR-MISC

Dear Colonel Masaitis:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the United States Air Force (Permittee) time extension request for the 2020 Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report (Report) for Melrose Air Force Range dated January 5, 2021. The extension of time for the submittal of the Report will allow for Report drafting, review, and staffing for signature. NMED hereby approves the extension request. The Permittee must submit the Report to NMED no later than **March 29, 2021**, as requested.

Colonel Masaitis
March 8, 2021
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If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Gabriel Acevedo at (505) 476-6043.

Sincerely,

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