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Subject:

Person Generating Station

Post-Closure Care Permit Reapplication

Dear Mr. Johnson:

As you requested, enclosed are copies of model post-closure care permit language, including the HSWA module, and two checklists of regulatory provisions that should be addressed in a post-closure care permit.

The model language and checklists are to be used for guidance in drafting PNM's application for reissuance of its Post-Closure Care Permit for the Person Station site. The Permit expires in August of 1998.

The model permit language consists of sections, called modules, titled General Permit Conditions, General Facility Conditions, Post-Closure Care, Corrective Action for Regulated Units, and Special Conditions pursuant to HSWA.

There may be some general permit provisions that do not apply to the Person Station site, for example the location standards at section II.E. We can delete those provisions if we decide during the application process that they are not applicable.

The main body of your corrective action activities and requirements should be described in the Corrective Action Program, which will be attached to Module IV, Corrective Action for Regulated Units, and incorporated into the Permit by reference. The Corrective Action Program then becomes a fully enforceable provision of the Permit.

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The checklists that include citations from the regulations cover Part A and Part B of the application and post-closure care only. They are intended as guidance and may not include every requirement that must be addressed in the permit.

If you have any questions or need additional information please call Carl Will of my staff at 505-827-1561.

Sincerely,

Robert S. ("Stu") Dinwiddie, Ph.D., Manager

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Enclosures

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