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CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

September 7, 2018

John Hale, P. E.
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**RE: APPROVAL
CORRECTIVE ACTION COMPLETE DETERMINATION
PNM PERSON GENERATING STATION
PNM RESOURCES, EPA ID# NMT360010342
HWB-PNM-18-002**

Dear Mr. Hale:

The New Mexico Environment Department (“NMED”) received a Class 3 Permit Modification Request (“PMR”) petitioning for Corrective Action Complete (“CAC”) status for the Public Service Company of New Mexico (“PNM” or “Permittee”) Person Generation Station (“Facility”) on April 11, 2018. Corrective action was being conducted under the Facility’s RCRA Post-Closure Care Permit.

NMED issued a 60-day public comment period that began on June 25, 2018 and ended on August 24, 2018. The NMED did not receive comment on the proposed PMR. NMED hereby determines that corrective action is complete at the Facility.

Pursuant to 40 CFR §264.120, PNM may submit to NMED by registered mail, a certification that the post-closure care was completed in accordance with the specifications in the approved Post-Closure Care Permit. The certification must reference the final groundwater monitoring report, the CAC PMR and this final NMED determination. The certification must be signed by the owner or operator of PNM and a qualified Professional Engineer registered in the State of New Mexico by no later than 60 days from the date you receive this letter.

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After receipt of the certification, the NMED will terminate the Facility's RCRA Post-Closure Care Permit and release the Permittee from the financial assurance requirements for post-closure care required by 40 CFR §264.145(i).

Should you have any questions, please contact John Kieling at (505) 476-6035.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of J.C. Borrego in black ink.

J.C. Borrego
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