February 12, 2007

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RE: PUBLIC INFORMATION REQUEST, JANUARY 27, 2007

Dear Mr. McCoy:

I am in receipt of your January 27, 2007, letter that contains four requests for public records pertaining to the Sandia National Laboratories (SNL) Mixed Waste Landfill (MWL). The New Mexico Environment Department’s (Department’s) response to those requests follows, enumerated as in your letter.

1. The records can be reviewed at the Hazardous Waste Bureau’s offices in Santa Fe. To arrange your review of these documents, contact Pam Allen at (505) 476-6064, or by email at pam.allen@state.nm.us.
2. See #1.
3. See #1, except where noted below. The references in the report by Moats and others (2006) are addressed below, in the same order as in the report:
   Ecology and Environment, Inc., 1989 – already provided to Citizen Action
   Freeze and Cheery, 1979 – privately-owned text book, not available in Department files
   Goering and others, 2002 - already provided to Citizen Action
   Goering, July 2006 – copy enclosed
   Goering, September 2006 – copy enclosed
   Ho and others, 2005 – part of MWL Corrective Measures Implementation Work Plan. Already provided to Citizen Action. Also see the Department’s web page at

IT Corporation, 1996 – see #1
IT Corporation, 1999 – see #1
Los Alamos National Laboratories, 2005 – see #1
Lyon and Goering, 2006 – already provided to Citizen Action
Moats and Winn, 1995 – see #1, portions already provided to Citizen Action
NMED, April 2005 – see internet link indicated above
NMED, May 2005 – see internet link indicated above
Sandia National Laboratories 1992 – already provided to Citizen Action
Sandia National Laboratories 1996 - already provided to Citizen Action
Sandia National Laboratories October 2000 - already provided to Citizen Action
Sandia National Laboratories December 2000 - already provided to Citizen Action
Sandia National Laboratories 2003 - already provided to Citizen Action
Sandia National Laboratories 2005 - see internet link indicated above
U. S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1991 – see enclosed disk.
SAND2006-_____ (in process) – NMED is unable to determine which document is being requested.


Sincerely,

James P. Bearzi
Chief
Hazardous Waste Bureau

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Enclosures

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RE: PUBLIC INFORMATION REQUEST, JANUARY 27, 2007

Dear Mr. McCoy:

I am in receipt of your second January 27, 2007, letter that contains eleven requests for public records pertaining to the Sandia National Laboratories (SNL) Mixed Waste Landfill (MWL). The New Mexico Environment Department’s (Department’s) response to those requests follows, enumerated as in your letter.

2. The records can be reviewed at the Hazardous Waste Bureau’s offices in Santa Fe. To arrange your review of these documents, contact Pam Allen at (505) 476-6064, or by e-mail at pam.allen@state.nm.us.
3. See #2.
4. See #2.
5. See #2.
6. Documents include the Secretary’s Final Order on the MWL Corrective Measures Study, the Corrective Measures Implementation (CMI) Plan, the Notice of Deficiency (NOD) issued on the CMI Plan on November 20, 2006, and Sandia’s responses to the NOD, Parts
1 and 2. All documents are currently found at the Department's web page at www.nmenv.state.nm.us/hwb/snlperm.html under Mixed Waste Landfill.  
7. See the MWL Fate and Transport Model included in the CMI Plan, which is found at the above internet link.  
8. Documents include the Phase 1 and 2 RCRA Facility Investigations (copies already provided to Citizen Action) and tritium sampling results for 2003 (see #2).  
9. Documents include the Phase 1 and 2 RCRA Facility Investigations (copies already provided to Citizen Action).  
10. Documents include the Phase 1 and 2 RCRA Facility Investigations (copies already provided to Citizen Action).  
11. This statement was based on the Department's testimony in the hearing on the matter of the MWL Corrective Measures Study. Citizen Action was previously provided a copy of the Department's testimony, and the administrative record in the matter.

Sincerely,

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