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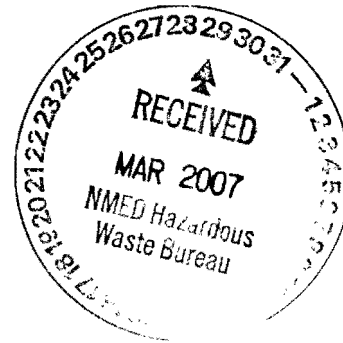


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Subject: Technical and Administrative Updates to Permit Request for RCRA-Regulated Waste Management at Sandia National Laboratories/New Mexico, EPA ID NM5890110518

Dear Mr. Kieling:

On behalf of the Department of Energy (DOE) and Sandia Corporation (Sandia), DOE is submitting the enclosed information to the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED). The enclosures consist of updates to the General Part A Permit Request and the Comprehensive Part B Permit Request for RCRA-regulated waste storage and treatment operations at Sandia National Laboratories/New Mexico (SNL/NM) and Certification Statement.

The Part A Permit Request has been updated to incorporate several changes in DOE/Sandia waste management operations at SNL/NM. The changes are summarized below.

- Closure of the High Bay Waste Storage Facility (HBWSF). NMED approved closure in a letter dated July 12, 2006. Information about the HBWSF has been deleted.
- Closure of Manzano Storage Bunkers (MSB) 37063 and 37078. NMED approved closure in a letter dated October 4, 2006. Information about these two bunkers has been deleted.
- Inclusion of the Corrective Action Management Unit (CAMU) containment cell in the Part A Permit Request. DOE and Sandia are performing post-closure care for the containment cell in accordance with the post-closure care plan in the "Class III Permit Modification Request for the Management of Hazardous Remediation Waste in the Corrective Action Management Unit, Technical Area III." The Class III modification was approved by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on September 25, 1997. NMED approved closure of the CAMU in a letter dated May 10, 2004. Information about the CAMU containment cell is included for completeness, in response to a request from Mr. Cornelius Amindyas of the NMED.



The revised Permit Request incorporates the most current application forms available from the EPA. During preparation of the revisions, DOE and Sandia noted several typographic errors; these errors have been corrected in the revised Permit Request.

One of the typographic errors is the reported capacity of MSB 37118; it was incorrectly reported as 25,080 gallons. The correct capacity is 35,200 gallons. The incorrect capacity is also reported in three places in Part 2 of the Comprehensive Part B Permit Request. DOE and Sandia have revised the affected pages to correct the errors.

This enclosure includes four attachments. Each is discussed below:

Attachment A: Redline/Strikeout Copies of Revised Pages in the General Part A Permit Request. The revised pages are included in redline/strikeout format.

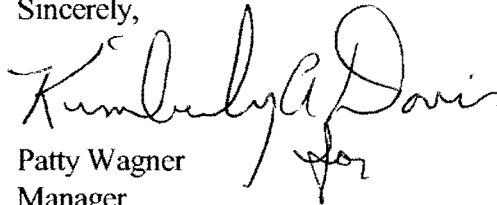
Attachment B: General Part A Permit Request. The entire General Part A Permit Request is included.

Attachment C: Redline/Strikeout Copies of Revised Pages in the Comprehensive Part B Permit Request. The revised pages are included in redline/strikeout format.

Attachment D: Clean Copy of Revised Pages. Please insert these revised pages into your copies of Comprehensive Part B Permit Request (instructions are included on the cover of Attachment D).

DOE and Sandia are available to provide additional information as needed. If you have any questions regarding this submittal, please contact David Rast, of my staff, at (505) 845-5349.

Sincerely,


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Enclosures (2)

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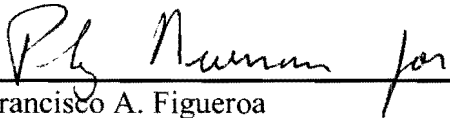
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**Revision of Comprehensive Part B Permit Request
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CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

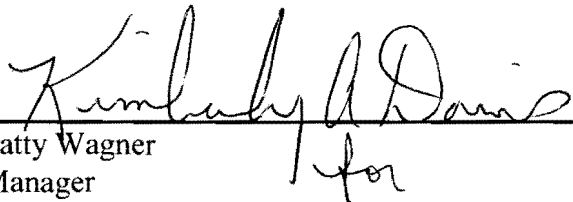
I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision according to a system designed to ensure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine or imprisonment for knowing violations.



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