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CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

May 21, 2007

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RE: PUBLIC INFORMATION REQUEST, APRIL 2, 2007

Dear Mr. McCoy:

I am in receipt of your April 2, 2007, letter that contains six requests for public records pertaining to Sandia National Laboratories' (SNL's) Mixed Waste Landfill (MWL). The New Mexico Environment Department's (Department's) response to those requests follows, enumerated as in your letter.

1. The map is part of SNL's response, dated June 15, 1998 to the September 11, 1997, Letter of Denial issued by the Department regarding the Phase 2 RCRA Facility Investigation Report for the MWL. This information has already been provided to the Citizen Action and is a part of the administrative record made available at the hearing held on the MWL Corrective Measures Study in December 2004.

If Citizen Action cannot locate its copy of this information, the map can be reviewed at the Hazardous Waste Bureau's offices in Santa Fe. To arrange your review of this information, contact Pam Allen at (505) 476-6064, or by e-mail at pam.allen@state.nm.us.

2. The meeting was set up via telephone and took place in the field at the MWL. The new wells (MWL-MW5 and MWL-MW6) were installed at locations acceptable to both Department and Sandia technical staff; these locations were marked on the ground with

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survey stakes during the meeting. The Department is not aware of any written documentation concerning this meeting.

3. SNL stated it would install two new wells in its response to the Letter of Denial mentioned in item #1. The Department is not aware of any other information on this matter.
4. Several water level maps have been prepared since the installation of wells MWL-MW5 and MWL-MW6 and are included in various groundwater reports on the MWL. See item #1 to make arrangements to review the records.
5. The Department is not aware of any such documents.
6. Water levels indicate that wells MWL-MW5 and MWL-MW6 are downgradient wells. Citizen Action has been provided a nearly complete set of water level data from the monitoring reports. See item #1 to make arrangements to review the records.

Sincerely,



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