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August 3, 2011

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**RE: NOTICE OF APPROVAL
CORRECTIVE MEASURES EVALUATION WORK PLAN, BURN SITE
GROUNDWATER, MARCH 2008
SANDIA NATIONAL LABORATORIES, EPA ID# NM5890110518
HWB-SNL-04-035**

Dear Ms. Wagner and Mr. Orrell:

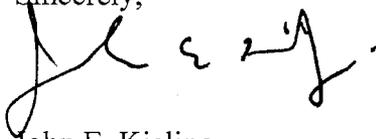
The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has reviewed the *Corrective Measures Evaluation Work Plan, Burn Site Groundwater, March 2008*, with cover letter dated April 9, 2008, submitted by the U. S. Department of Energy on behalf of itself and Sandia Corporation (collectively the Permittees). The subject work plan is hereby approved. As indicated in NMED's letter of October 4, 2010, the Corrective Measures Evaluation Report is due no later than September 9, 2013.



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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Brian L. Salem of my staff at (505) 222-9576.

Sincerely,



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