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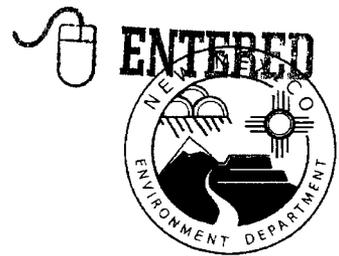
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December 21, 2011

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**RE: WITHDRAWAL OF MIXED WASTE LANDFILL LONG-TERM MONITORING AND MAINTENANCE PLAN  
SANDIA NATIONAL LABORATORIES, EPA ID# NM5890110518  
HWB-SNL-07-017**

Dear Ms. Wagner and Mr. Orrell:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received your letter of December 7, 2011, concerning the withdrawal of the Mixed Waste Landfill (MWL) Long-Term Monitoring and Maintenance Plan (LTMMP), dated September 2007. The MWL LTMMP is to be updated and the revision submitted to the NMED by April 14, 2012. NMED agrees that the update of the LTMMP is needed and supports withdrawal of the September 2007 version of the plan.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. William Moats of my staff at (505) 222-9551.

Sincerely,

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