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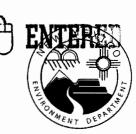
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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

April 18, 2011

Joseph S. Lerczak
Director of Treasury and Forecasting, and Secretary
Sparton Technology, Inc.
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RE: 2010 ANNUAL REPORT EXTENSION REQUEST AND MONITOR WELLS 13, 48 AND 57 MODIFICATION APPROVAL SPARTON TECHNOLOGY, INC. EPA ID NO. NMD083212332

Dear Mr. Lerczak:

On April 11, 2011, the Environmental Protection Administration (EPA) and the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) received from Sparton Technology, Inc. (Sparton) an extension request for the submittal of the 2010 Annual Report. The due date for the submittal was May 15, 2011. The reason for the extension is to allow for evaluation of the data collected during the 4th quarter of the Groundwater Monitoring Plan. The extension is hereby approved for the submittal of the 2010 Annual Report and is due no later than June 20, 2011.

In addition, a request to modify monitor wells (MW) 13, 48 and 57 was submitted by Sparton on March 18, 2011. The proposed work included the plug and abandonment of MW 13 and 48, and the extension of MW 57 from 140 feet below the ground surface (BGS) to 165 feet bgs by installing a 2 inch diameter casing in the existing 4 inch diameter casing. This work plan is deemed adequate. A report detailing the extent of work performed shall be submitted to EPA and NMED within 90 days from the completion of the work. A groundwater sample shall be collected and analyzed within five days after completion of the work using the MW-57 routine sampling parameters.

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In accordance with the Consent Decree Section X (Review of Submittals), Paragraph 31, "All items required to be submitted to EPA and NMED for review and approval under this Consent Decree shall, upon approval... by EPA or NMED, be enforceable under this Consent Decree."

If you have any questions, please contact John Kieling at 505-476-6035 or Chuck Hendrickson at 214-665-2196.

Sincerely,

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