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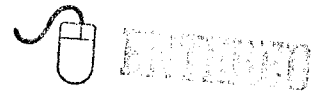
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**CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

February 11, 2004

Mr. R. Paul Detwiler, Acting Manager  
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Department of Energy  
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Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-3090

Dr. Steven Warren, President  
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**RE: ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLETENESS DETERMINATION, CLASS 1 NOTIFICATIONS, CLASS 2 AND CLASS 3 MODIFICATION REQUESTS  
WIPP HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY PERMIT  
EPA I.D. NUMBER NM4890139088**

Dear Mr. Detwiler and Dr. Warren:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) Hazardous Waste Bureau (HWB) acknowledges receipt of numerous notifications of Class 1 permit modifications and requests for Class 2 and Class 3 permit modifications to the WIPP Hazardous Waste Facility Permit. The specific submittals reviewed for administrative completeness are as follows:

- Request for Class 2 Permit Modification (LANL Sealed Sources), Letter Dated 11/13/03, Rec'd 11/14/03
- Request for Class 2 Permit Modification (Two Item), Letter Dated 1/7/04, Rec'd 1/8/04
- Request for Class 3 Permit Modification (Container Management), Letter Dated 1/7/04, Rec'd 1/8/04
- Notification of Class 1 Permit Modifications (CBFO Manager), Letter Dated 1/9/04, Rec'd 1/13/04
- Notification of Class 1 Permit Modifications (CBFO Manager), Letter Dated 1/16/04, Rec'd 1/20/04

NMED has reviewed these documents and determined that they are administratively complete. All modifications identified in the Notices of Class 1 Modification listed above have been put into



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effect as requested by the Permittees under the conditions specified in 20.4.1.900 NMAC (incorporating 40 CFR §270.42(a)(1)). The modifications identified in the Requests for Class 2 Permit Modification are being processed by NMED in accordance with the requirements specified in 20.4.1.900 NMAC (incorporating 40 §270.42(b)). The modification identified in the Request for Class 3 Permit Modification is being processed by NMED in accordance with the requirements specified in 20.4.1.900 NMAC (incorporating 40 §270.42(c)).

The New Mexico Hazardous Waste Fee Regulations require assessment of fees when administrative review of a document is complete, as specified in 20.4.2.301 NMAC. NMED will issue an invoice to you under a separate letter. Payment is due within sixty (60) calendar days from the date that you receive the invoice.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Steve Zappe of my staff at (505) 428-2517.

Sincerely,



Sandra Y. Martin

Acting Chief

Hazardous Waste Bureau

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