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CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

June 30, 2005

Dr. Inés Triay, Acting Manager
Carlsbad Field Office
U.S. Department of Energy
P.O. Box 3090
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-3090

Mr. Richard Raaz, President
Washington TRU Solutions, LLC
P.O. Box 2078
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-5608

RE: ANNUAL UNIT AUDIT – CALENDAR YEAR 2004
WASTE ISOLATION PILOT PLANT NM4890139088

Dear Dr. Triay and Mr. Raaz:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has completed the Final Annual Unit Audit (AUA) for Calendar Year 2004 for your facility. Enclosed are the AUA Tables only for those units that will be billed. The Tables were developed from the draft Annual Unit Audit dated April 25, 2005 and comments received from your facility. Also enclosed is an invoice for the Annual Hazardous Waste Management Business Fee (AHWMBF). The tables are formatted accordingly: 1) Table A includes all operating, closure, and post-closure care units; 2) Table B includes corrective action units (e.g. SWMUs); and 3) Table C is the summary of all billable units.

As requested in the April 25, 2005 letter from NMED, if your facility has operating unit(s), that did not manage hazardous waste for the entire 2004 calendar year, an affidavit must be provided to NMED affirming no such activity. NMED will then not assess a fee for the 2004 calendar year. The Annual Hazardous Waste Management Business Fee shall be paid in full if permitted hazardous waste management activities took place at the site or unit during any part of the calendar year, 20.4.2.208.1 NMAC.

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Under the provisions of 20.4.2.301.1 NMAC “Payment shall be due within sixty (60) days of receipt of the invoice unless the facility submits to NMED/HRMB a written request and receives written approval to extend the time for payment before the date payment is due.” Should the Return Receipt Request card attached to this letter be returned without a date of receipt the fee is due within sixty (60) days of the date of this letter.

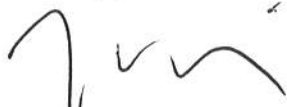
Should your facility find it necessary to appeal the Annual Fee invoice under the provisions of 20.4.2.302 NMAC the appeal must be filed within thirty (30) days of the date of the invoice accompanying this letter. Any appeal of the AHWMBF invoice must be filed in writing and accompanied by a copy of the invoice being contested and state the grounds upon which the appellant disagrees with the assessment.

Appeals must be filed directly with the:

Hearing Clerk
New Mexico Environment Department
P.O. Box 26110
1190 Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502-6110

Should you have questions concerning this Annual Unit Audit please call your respective Hazardous Waste Bureau project leader, or John Kieling at (505) 428-2500.

Sincerely,



James P. Bearzi
Chief
Hazardous Waste Bureau

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Attachments

cc: J. Kieling, NMED HWB
B. Pippin, NMED HWB
S. Zappe, NMED HWB

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Washington TRU Solutions
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P.O. BOX 3090
Carlsbad, NM 88221-3090
Attn: Ines Triay

7/1/2005

Invoice # - HWB-WIPP-AUA-2004
ANNUAL UNIT AUDIT -- CALENDAR YEAR 2004

Quantity	Item	Item Cost	Total Cost
15	Corrective Action	\$250.00	\$3,750.00
2	Land Disposal	\$2,000.00	\$4,000.00
2	Storage in Containers	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00
Total Fees			\$9,750.00
Adjustment			\$0.00
Pay This Amount			\$9,750.00

Make Checks Payable to: NMED/HWB

Mail Checks and Invoice to:

**New Mexico Environment Department, HWB
Attn: Linda Montoya
2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Bldg 1
Santa Fe, NM 87505**

State of New Mexico Use Only:

Date Received: _____
Check Number: _____
Amount Received: _____

TABLE A
Waste Isolation Pilot Plant 2004 AUA
OPERATING, CLOSURE AND POST-CLOSURE CARE UNITS

Unit ID No.	Unit Type/Description	Process	Comments	Fee
013a	Container Storage-Waste Handling Building	S01-Container Storage		\$1,000.00
013b	Container Storage-Parking Area Unit	S01-Container Storage		\$1,000.00
013c	Disposal-Underground HWDU- Panel 1	X04-Geologic Repository		\$2,000.00
013d	Disposal-Underground HWDU- Panel 2	X04-Geologic Repository		\$2,000.00
			Total Annual Fee:	\$6,000.00

TABLE B
Waste Isolation Pilot Plant 2004 AUA
CORRECTIVE ACTION UNITS

Count	Unit ID No.	Unit Type/Description	Comments	Fee
1	001g	H-14/P-1 Mud Pit(s)		\$250.00
2	001h	H-15/P-2 Mud Pit(s)		\$250.00
3	001j	P-3 Mud Pit		\$250.00
4	001k	P-4 Mud Pit		\$250.00
5	001l	WIPP-12/P-5 Drilling Mud Pit(s)		\$250.00
6	001m	P-6 Mud Pit		\$250.00
7	001n	P-15 Mud Pit		\$250.00
8	001o	Badger Unit Drilling Mud Pit(s)		\$250.00
9	001p	Cotton Baby Drilling Mud Pit(s)		\$250.00
10	001q	DOE-1 Drilling Mud Pit(s)		\$250.00
11	001s	ERDA-9 Mud Pit		\$250.00
12	001t	IMC-374 Mud Pit		\$250.00
13	001x	WIPP-13 Drilling Mud Pit(s)		\$250.00
14	004a	Portacamp Storage Yard, West Side		\$250.00
15	007b	SW Evaporation Pond		\$250.00
Total Annual Fee:				\$3,750.00

TABLE C
Waste Isolation Pilot Plant 2004 AUA
SUMMARY OF UNITS AND FEE ASSESSMENT

Number of Units	Unit Type	Fee
2	Storage	\$2,000.00
0	Treatment	\$0.00
2	Disposal	\$4,000.00
0	Post Closure Care	\$0.00
15	Corrective Action	\$3,750.00
Total Annual Fee:		\$9,750.00