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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

December 28, 2011

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RE: WITHDRAWAL OF DECEMBER 22, 2011 LETTER CONCERNING PERMIT MODIFICATION REQUESTS TO UPDATE VENTILATION LANGUAGE, ADD A SHIELDED CONTAINER, AND REVISE THE WIPP GROUNDWATER DETECTION MONITORING PROGRAM PLAN WIPP HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY PERMIT EPA I.D. NUMBER NM4890139088 WIPP-11-010

Dear Messrs. Ziemianski and Sharif:

By means of this correspondence the New Mexico Environment Department (Department) hereby retracts the letter December 22, 2011 concerning Permit Modification Requests to Update Ventilation Language, add a Shielded Container, and revise the WIPP Groundwater Detection Monitoring Program Plan for the WIPP Hazardous Waste Facility Permit.

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If you have any questions about this decision, please address them to John Kieling, Acting Chief of the Hazardous Waste Bureau, at 476-6000 or john.kieling@state.nm.us.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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