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**CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

February 17, 2012

Jose R. Franco, Manager  
Carlsbad Field Office  
Department of Energy  
P. O. Box 3090  
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-3090

M. Farok Sharif, General Manager  
Washington TRU Solutions LLC  
P. O. Box 2078  
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-5608

**RE: ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLETENESS DETERMINATION AND FEE  
ASSESSMENT FOR CLASS 1 PERMIT MODIFICATION DATED FEBRUARY  
12, 2012 TO THE HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY PERMIT, NUMBER  
NM4890139088-TSDF  
HWB-WIPP-12-001**

Dear Messrs. Franco and Sharif:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) acknowledges receipt of modification notifications to the WIPP Hazardous Waste Facility Permit. The specific submittal reviewed for administrative completeness was:

- Notification of Class 1 Permit Modification (Change in the Department of Energy, Carlsbad Field Office Manager), Letter Dated 2/13/2012, Rec'd 2/15/2012

NMED has determined that this submittal is administratively complete. As requested by the Permittees under the conditions specified in 20.4.1.900 NMAC (incorporating 40 CFR §270.42(a)(1)), the modification identified in the Notice of Class 1 Modification listed above is put into effect. NMED will incorporate this Class 1 modification into the WIPP Permit during a future permit action.

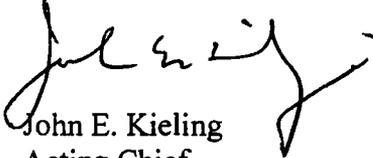


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The New Mexico Hazardous Waste Permit and Corrective Action Fee Regulations, 20.4.2.201.B(2)(b) NMAC require the assessment of fees. The fee invoices are attached to this letter. Payment is normally due within sixty (60) calendar days from the date that you receive the invoice in accordance with 20.4.2.301.C NMAC. However, because NMED submitted an assessment of supplemental permit fees to the Permittees and the Permittees transmitted payment of these fees, the fee invoice for this permit modification notification has been effectively paid under these supplemental fees.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (505) 476-6035 or Trais Kliphuis at (505) 476-6051.

Sincerely,



John E. Kieling  
Acting Chief  
Hazardous Waste Bureau

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Cc: Trais Kliphuis, NMED HWB  
James Valdez, NMED HWB  
File: Red WIPP '12



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Carlsbad, NM 88221-5608  
Attn: Mr. Farok Sharif

Invoice # - HWB-WIPP-12-001

Notification of Class 1 Modification to the Hazardous Waste Facility Permit NM4890139088-TSDF

Quantity	Item	Item Cost	Total Cost
1	Class 1 (without prior approval)	\$500.00	\$500.00
		<b>Total Fees</b>	\$500.00
		<b>Adjustment</b>	\$0.00
		<b>Pay This Amount</b>	<b>\$500.00</b>

PAID BY  
SUPPLEMENTAL FEE  
AGREEMENT  
FEBRUARY 17, 2011

**Make Checks Payable to: NMED/HWB**

**Mail Checks and Invoice to:**

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

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Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_  
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