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Subject: Comments on the February 22, 2018, Draft Waste Isolation Pilot Plant
 Hazardous Waste Facility Permit Pertaining to the Class 3 Modification to
 Change the Panel Closure Design, Number NM4890139088-TSDF

Dear Mr. Kieling:

The purpose of this letter is to provide comments on the February 22, 2018, Draft Waste Isolation Pilot Plant Hazardous Waste Facility Permit pertaining to the Class 3 Modification to change the panel closure design.

We certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under our direction or supervision according to a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on our inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. We are aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Michael R. Brown at (575) 234-7476.

Sincerely,

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Permittees' Comments on the February 22, 2018, Draft Waste Isolation Pilot Plant Hazardous Waste Facility Permit Pertaining to the Class 3 Modification to Change the Panel Closure Design

The Permittees are suggesting the following editorial changes to the February 22, 2018, Draft Waste Isolation Pilot Plant Hazardous Waste Facility Permit.

1. Attachment B, Page B-27 of 52: Close parenthetical.

**(APPENDIX B2)
MAPS**

2. New Attachment G1, Page G1-7 of 14: Unbold "Summary of Work."

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3. New Attachment G1-A: Revise the footer starting on Page 1 to "G1A" instead of "G1B."

Page ~~G1B~~G1A-1

4. New Attachment G1-A, Section 1.3., *Definitions and Abbreviations*: Revise the acronym "Limit Liability Corporation" to "Limited Liability Company."

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