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Subject: Approval of Draft Notice Regarding Information Repositories for WIPP

Dear Mr. Basabilvazo:

New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the draft notice submitted by Department of Energy (DOE) regarding information repositories for Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) dated December 9, 1999. NMED approves the draft notice regarding information repositories for WIPP at Santa Fe, Albuquerque and Carlsbad for corrective action activities.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at (505) 827-1567.

Sincerely,

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