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Mr. Chris Hawley
Environmental Manager
Bloomfield Refining Company
P.O. Box 159
Bloomfield, NM 87413

RE: RCRA § 3008(h) Administrative Order on Consent
EPA Docket No. VI-303-H, EPA ID # NM089416416
EPA Approval of the Final RFI Report
Bloomfield Refining Company, Bloomfield, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Hawley:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has performed a technical review of Bloomfield's Final RCRA Facility Investigation (RFI) report for the Bloomfield Refining Company (BRC), located in Bloomfield, New Mexico. BRC submitted the final RFI Report to EPA as one of the requirements of the Administrative Order on Consent (Order), EPA Docket No. VI-303-H, dated December 31, 1992. The Final RFI Report was received by EPA on April 14, 1995.

EPA has reviewed BRC's Final RFI Report to determine if it fulfills the requirements of the Order. In addition to the Final RFI report, EPA reviewed BRC's letter that was received on August 19, 1995, concerning the ground water plume delineation downgradient of monitoring well MW-34.

The Final RFI report and supplemental letter satisfy the requirements of the Order and are hereby approved with the following condition. BRC shall finalize the ground water plume delineation in the area of monitoring well MW-34 during the Corrective Measures Implementation (CMI) phase of the corrective action process. This includes obtaining the necessary Bureau of Land Management access agreements.

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As per the Order, BRC has 60 days from receipt of this approval letter to submit the draft Corrective Measures Study (CMS) report. If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at (214) 665-8317.

Sincerely,



Greg J. Lyssy
Project Coordinator
Technical Section (6EN-HX)
Hazardous Waste Enforcement Branch

cc: Mr. Coby Muckelroy, New Mexico Environment Department
Ms. Cymantha Liakos, Groundwater Technology, Inc.