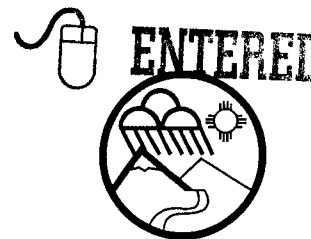




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**CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

August 7, 2006

Mr. Randy Schmaltz  
 Environmental Supervisor  
 Giant Refining Company  
 P.O. Box 159  
 Bloomfield, New Mexico 87413

Mr. Ed Riege  
 Environmental Superintendent  
 Giant Refining Company  
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**RE: FEE ASSESSMENT  
 INTERIM MEASURES IMPLEMENTATION REPORT  
 NORTH BOUNDARY BARRIER AND COLLECTION SYSTEM  
 GIANT REFINING COMPANY, BLOOMFIELD REFINERY  
 EPA ID# NMD089416416  
 HWB-GRCB-05-004**

Dear Mr. Schmaltz:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) received Giant Refining Company's Bloomfield Refinery (GRCB) *Interim Measures Implementation Report North Boundary Barrier and Collection System*, dated June 2006. NMED has accepted the document for technical review. NMED will provide GRCB with a full technical review after the appropriate fees have been received. The fee invoice will be sent to you under separate cover. Upon receipt of the payment, NMED will initiate the technical review of the report in accordance with 20.4.2.200.A(7) NMAC.

Payment is due within sixty (60) calendar days from the date that you receive the invoice. If you disagree with the fee assessed, you may file an Administrative Appeal under the provisions of 20.4.2.302.1 NMAC.

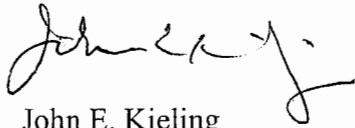
If payment is by check, then you must provide the invoice number on the check. If payment is transmitted electronically, then you must submit a letter to Mr. James Valdez, Hazardous Waste Bureau, indicating the invoice number, payment amount, and the assessed activity prior to transferring funds. If the NMED does not receive notification, it will not begin the technical

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review of the document.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Hope Monzeglio at  
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Sincerely,



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