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February 5, 2009

**Re: Closure Plan for the Aeration Lagoons
Western Refining Southwest, Inc. – Bloomfield Refinery
EPA ID #NMD089416416**

Dear Mr. Kieling,

This letter is notification of the completion of closure activities at Bloomfield Refinery's aeration lagoons as required by NMED's August 7, 2008 letter (Approval with Modifications Closure Plan for the Aeration Lagoons). Clean out activities were completed January 20, 2009. Piping replacement and liner repair was completed by February 4, 2009. All aeration lagoons were put back into service February 4, 2009.

If you need additional information, please contact me at (505) 632-4161.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Cindy Hurtado in cursive.

Cindy Hurtado
Environmental Coordinator
Western Refining Southwest, Inc. – Bloomfield Refinery

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