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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

Directorate of Public Works



APR 15 2010

Mr. James Bearzi  
New Mexico Environment Department  
Hazardous Waste Bureau  
2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Building 1  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-6303

**Subject: Petition to Perform Class III Modifications to Remove Solid Waste Management Units (SWMUs) from the White Sands Missile Range RCRA Part B Permit HSWA Module, ID # NM2750211235**

Dear Mr. Bearzi,

Enclosed for your review is the document submittal titled: *Petition to Perform Class III Modifications to Remove Solid Waste Management Units (SWMUs) 19, 47, 48, 63, 64, 108, 157, 158, 159, 167 and 168 from the White Sands Missile Range RCRA Part B Permit HSWA Module, Identification No. NM2750211235, March 2010.*

The SWMUs which are the subject of our request for petition to perform a Class III permit modification are:

- SWMU 19 - Steam Wash Pad & Oil/water Separator @ Building 1753 (includes former SWMU 20, which was recently combined with SWMU 19 and named SWMU 19)
- SWMUs 47 and 48 - Former North Oscura Peak Landfills (includes former SWMU 49, which was recently combined with SWMU 48 and named SWMU 48).
- SWMU 63 – Former Main Post Landfill 1A
- SWMU 64 – Former Main Post Landfill 2A
- SWMU 108 – Vapor Extraction Well at TTF
- SWMU 157, 158 and 159 – Former Oscura Range Center Landfills
- SWMU 167 – Malpais Site
- SWMU 168 – Lance Missile Impact Site

*"I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision according to a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my 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 my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations."*

Copies furnished with enclosure (1 print copy w/CD) to Mr. Dave Cobrain, NMED-HWB; and without enclosure to Mr. John Kieling, NMED-HWB.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Benito Avalos of our Environmental Compliance office at (575) 678-2225/1007.

Sincerely,



THOMAS A. LADD  
Director, Public Work

Enclosure