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March 12, 2010

Keith Landreth
Attn: ATZC-DOE (Landreth)
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**RE: NOTICE OF APPROVAL
REPORT OF ANNUAL POST-CLOSURE SITE INSPECTIONS;
DOÑA ANA RUBBLE PIT LANDFILL (SWMU 27/FTBL-012),
FORT BLISS, NEW MEXICO
EPA ID #NM4213720101
HWB-FB-10-001**

Dear Mr. Landreth:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the Department of Army's (Permittee) *Report of Annual Post-Closure Site Inspections; Doña Ana Rubble Pit Landfill (SWMU 27/FTBL-012)* (Report), dated December 17, 2009.

The Permittee has fulfilled its obligation to conduct semi-annual inspections in 2009 and submit an annual report to NMED. The requirement to conduct semi-annual inspections of the Doña Ana Range Rubble Pit Landfill (SWMU 27) and submit an annual report is outlined in NMED's letter dated October 30, 2007.

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The review of the Report indicates that the inspections were conducted in accordance with the requirements described in the above mentioned letter. Native vegetation growth was observed at the SWMU. No erosion damage was detected at the SWMU.

The Permittee must continue semi-annual inspections of the Doña Ana Range Rubble Pit Landfill (SWMU 27) and submit an annual report documenting the results of inspections to NMED no later than December 31, 2010.

Please contact Pat Stewart at (505) 476-6059, should you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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