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Dear Mr. Moffitt:

The New Mexico Environment Department is in process of reviewing the Draft Final Feasibility Study for 29 Waste Sites, dated December 1993. We understand from telephone conversations with your staff that there is some urgency to beginning work on the soil remediation at Sites 2&5 (AOC-T), the POL Spill Site. Accordingly, we approve the remedial actions proposed in the Feasibility Study at Sites 2&5.

We are still considering the actions proposed at Sites 8 and 14. Our concerns at these sites primarily involve questions about the appropriateness of approving less stringent corrective actions at essentially industrial sites, as compared to the actions that would be required at residential sites. These issues are under active discussion with our management and we hope to have comments about your proposals for Sites 8 and 14 soon. We appreciate your patience.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Pullen".

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