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**CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

September 24, 2019

Mr. Adam Kusmak  
Chief, Installation Management Flight  
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550 Tabosa Avenue  
Holloman AFB, NM 88330

**RE: APPROVAL  
FINAL INTERIM MEASURES REPORT, GROUP 2 FORMER UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK  
SITE: TU515 (AOC-UST-889), APRIL 2019  
HOLLOMAN AIR FORCE BASE, EPA ID # NM6572124422  
HWB-HAFB-19-011**

Dear Mr. Kusmak:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has reviewed the above referenced Interim Measures Report (Report) received from Holloman Air Force Base on May 3, 2019. The Report is hereby approved. The NMED does not require additional corrective action at this time.

The Permittee may request a Class 3 permit modification for Corrective Action Complete for AOC-UST-889 in accordance with 40 CFR §270.42(c). The Class 3 modification process includes requirements for public notice and for providing opportunity for public comment that are mandatory. NMED's preliminary determination that corrective action is complete is subject to NMED's reservation of rights related to new information or unknown conditions. As part of this process, new information may become available prior to or during the public comment period that a given site is not protective of human health or the environment. NMED reserves all rights to withdraw its preliminary decision that corrective action is complete, if new information indicates that further corrective action is needed to protect human health or the environment.

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This approval is based on the information presented in the document as it relates to the objectives of the work identified by NMED at the time of review. Approval of this document does not constitute agreement with all information, or every statement presented in the document.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Mr. David Strasser of my staff at (505) 222-9526.

Sincerely,



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