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Mr. Adam Kusmak
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**RE: APPROVAL
FINAL REVISED SUPPLEMENTAL RCRA FACILITY INVESTIGATION REPORT SS061:
BUILDING 1001 FUEL SPILL SITE (AREA OF CONCERN 1001), NOVEMBER 2022
HOLLOMAN AIR FORCE BASE
EPA ID # NM6572124422
HWB-HAFB-19-017**

Dear Mr. Kusmak,

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) received the U.S. Air Force (Permittee) Holloman Air Force Base (Facility) *Final Revised Supplemental RCRA Facility Investigation Report SS061: Building 1001 Fuel Spill Site (Area Of Concern 1001), November 2022*, (Report) on November 17, 2022. NMED has reviewed the Report and hereby issues this Approval.

A Class 3 permit modification for Corrective Action Complete with Controls for AOC-1001 is not appropriate at this time due to the high benzene levels (over 500 µg/L) in groundwater. The Permittee must conduct long-term groundwater monitoring at AOC-1001 beginning in 2023 to evaluate groundwater contamination and assess risk under the current land use scenario. A groundwater monitoring plan must be submitted to NMED no later than **November 30, 2023**.

This plan must include quarterly groundwater monitoring with annual reporting for a minimum of two years, after which time site conditions will be reassessed for future activities. The wells to be sampled must include, at a minimum, MW-29-02, MW-29-03, MW-29-04, MW-29-05, MW-29-06, SS61-MW02, SS61-MW05, SS61-MW08, SS61-MW13, SS61-MW16, SS61-MW21, SS61-MW23 and MW-23D, SS61-MW24 and -24D, SS61-MW25, SS61-MW26 and -26D, and SS61-MW29, SS61-MW31 and -31D.

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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 Naomi Davidson of the Hazardous Waste Bureau at (505) 690-7567.

Sincerely,

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