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August 6, 1996

Christopher B. DeWitt, R.P.G.  
Chief, Restoration Branch  
Environmental Management Division  
377 ABW/EMR  
2000 Wyoming Blvd SE  
Kirtland Air Force Base  
Albuquerque, New Mexico, 87117

**RE: Request for Extension of Due Date for Solid Waste Management  
(SWMU) Assessment Report(SAR):**

Dear Mr. DeWitt:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED), Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau (HRMB) received your letter of July 17, 1996. Your aim of writing NMED was to request an extension of the due date for the SWMU assessment Report (SAR) on three lead contaminated tower-mounted water tanks that are no longer utilized by Kirtland Air force Base (KAFB). You also added that you will need additional funding to perform the SAR, to determine whether there has been a release the site of the three tanks..

In light of the above reasons, HRMB hereby grants KAFB the extension to February 15, 1997, effective from the date you receive this letter. KAFB must therefore submit the required Report to HRMB **no later than February 15, 1997**. Please call me or Cornelius Amindyas at (505) 827-1561, if you have further questions on this matter.

Sincerely,

*Barbara Hoditschek*  
Barbara Hoditschek, Manager  
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