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CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

June 1, 2015

Wayne L. Bitner
Chief, Environmental Restoration
2000 Wyoming Blvd SE
Kirtland AFB NM 87117-5600

RE: Temporary Permission to Discharge, Kirtland Air Force Base Bulk Fuels Facility, DP-1770

Dear Mr. Bitner:

The New Mexico Environment Department has reviewed your request, dated April 29, 2015, for temporary permission to discharge no more than 200 gallons per minute of treated ground water to the Golf Course Main Pond (GCMP) at the Kirtland Air Force Base (KAFB) Tijeras Arroyo Golf Course. Ground water is extracted from well KAFB-106228R, for the purpose of remediating ground water contaminated with ethylene dibromide (EDB). Extracted ground water will be treated using granular activated carbon for EDB removal to below the 0.05 µg/L maximum contaminant level (MCL) prior to discharge to the GCMP. The proposed discharge is located at on the northwest edge of the Tijeras Arroyo Golf Course, Kirtland Air Force Base, Albuquerque in Section 9, Township 9N, Range 4E, Bernalillo County.

Temporary permission to discharge is hereby granted for 120 days from the date of initial discharge, pursuant to Subsection B of 20.6.2.3106 NMAC of the New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission Regulations. This approval is contingent on your discharging and reporting as described in your April 29, 2015, request and upon the following conditions:

1. The permittee shall notify NMED in writing of the date the discharge commences.
2. Operation, monitoring, and contingency conditions specified in Discharge Permit DP-1770,



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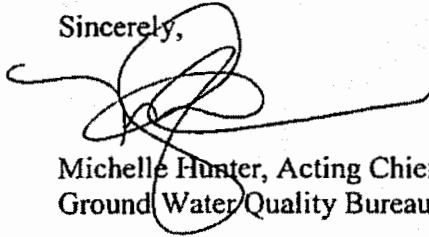
Kirtland Air Force Base Bulk Fuels Facility, issued December 2, 2014, shall apply to the temporary discharge.

3. Conditions submitted to NMED on May 15, 2015, in the *Kirtland Air Force Base (AFB) Bulk Fuels Facility (BFF) Monitoring and Contingency Plan* shall apply to the temporary discharge.

This approval does not relieve you of the responsibility to comply with any other applicable federal, state, and/or local laws and regulations, such as zoning requirements and nuisance ordinances. Also, this approval does not relieve you of liability should your operation result in actual pollution of surface or ground waters.

If you have any questions, please contact Rebecca Cook of the Ground Water Pollution Prevention Section at 505-827-2778.

Sincerely,



Michelle Hunter, Acting Chief
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