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**RE: NOTICE OF APPROVAL: GENERAL PART A (REVISION 8.0) CLASS 1  
PERMIT MODIFICATION REQUEST, JUNE 17, 2005  
SANDIA NATIONAL LABORATORIES EPA ID# NM5890110518  
HWB-SNL-05-010**

Dear Ms. Wagner and Mr. Figueroa:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has reviewed the U. S. Department of Energy (DOE)/Sandia Corporation's (collectively, the Permittees) request for a Class I permit modification of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Permit for Sandia National Laboratories (SNL). The request was submitted by the Permittees to satisfy Permit Condition III.G.2 of the Permit. Condition III.G. 2 requires that the Permittees submit a report to the NMED that explains the circumstances when the quantity of waste to which any waste code is assessed that is managed in a calendar year exceeds the estimated annual quantity for the waste code as listed in Part A of the RCRA Permit. Permit Condition III.G.2 also requires that the Permittees submit a new Part A for any waste code that exceeds the estimated annual quantity and is expected to continue to exceed its estimated annual quantity in the future.

The Permittees have indicated to the NMED that last year D010 waste exceeded its estimated annual quantity, and is expected to continue to exceed its estimated annual quantity as currently

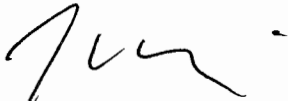


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listed in Part A. The latter forms the main basis of Permittees' request to modify Part A of the Permit. The revised Part A, dated June 17, 2005, is hereby approved.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Brian L. Salem of my staff at (505) 845-5932.

Sincerely,



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