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Mr. Jan Appel  
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VIA FACSIMILE

**RE: Installation of Additional Ground Water Monitor Wells at  
the Coors Road Contaminated Facility in Albuquerque, New  
Mexico.**

Dear Jan:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of the letter from Black and Veatch dated June 10, 1996 indicating that it is Sparton Technology's, Inc. (Sparton) intention to install five additional ground water monitor wells as described in Sparton's proposal letters dated May 14, and May 29, 1996.

NMED's letter of May 22, 1996 gave the preferable ground water monitor well locations and the conditions for approval if Sparton decided to proceed with additional well installation. NMED's position, as set forth in its May 22, 1996 letter, remains firm and is reaffirmed and incorporated into this letter. If Sparton now proceeds with its proposal to install additional ground water monitor wells, as set forth in its proposals in the above-referenced letters, Sparton understands that it does so at its own risk and without NMED approval or consent.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ana Marie Ortiz".

Ana Marie Ortiz  
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cc: Mark E. Weidler, Secretary of Environment  
Ed Kelley, Division Director Environment Department  
Pierce Chandler, Black and Veatch  
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