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James Bearzi, Bureau Chief Hazardous Waste Bureau New Mexico Environment Department 2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Building 1 Santa Fe, NM 87505-6303

Subject: Submittal of the Response to the Notice of Disapproval for the Investigation Report for North Canyon and Revision 1

Dear Mr. Bearzi:

Enclosed please find two hard copies with electronic files of the complete response to the notice of disapproval for the North Canyons Investigation Report and Revision 1 of the report. Also enclosed is an electronic copy of a redline strikeout version of the report that includes all changes made in response to the New Mexico Environment's (NMED's) notice of disapproval dated August 19, 2009. A table detailing where revisions have been made to the report with cross-references to NMED's numbered comments is also included.

If you have any questions, please contact Danny Katzman at (505) 667-6333 (katzman@lanl.gov) or Suzy Schulman at (505) 606-1962 (sschulman@doeal.gov).

Sincerely,

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Enclosures: Two hard copies with electronic files:

- (1) Response to the Notice of Disapproval for the North Canyons Investigation Report (LA-UR-09-6792)
- (2) North Canyons Investigation Report, Revision 1 (LA-UR-09-6794)
- (3) An electronic copy of the redline strikeout version of the plan that includes all changes and edits to the document
- (4) Cross-reference table of NMED NOD comments and revisions to the report
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