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**SUBJECT: INTERIM ACTION (IA) PLAN FOR POTENTIAL RELEASE SITE  
 (PRS) 53-002(a)**

Dear Mat:

Enclosed is one copy of the IA Plan for PRS 53-002(a). This plan is being submitted to the Department of Energy Los Alamos Area Office (DOE-LAAO) for review.

This plan will be provided to the New Mexico Environment Department upon completion of your review. If you have any questions or comments, please provide them to Gabriela Lopez Escobedo at (505) 665-7352.

Sincerely,

Julie A. Canepa, Program Manager  
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Enclosure: Draft copy of the Interim Action Plan for PRS 53-002(a)

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**SUBJECT: SUBMITTAL OF THE INTERIM ACTION (IA) PLAN FOR POTENTIAL  
RELEASE SITE (PRS) 53-002(a)**

Dear Mr. Young:

Enclosed are two copies of the IA Plan for PRS 53-002(a). This plan describes a proposed corrective action to reduce risk at the lagoons as presented in the monthly meeting on July 11, 2001. The proposal for this interim action and the Fact Sheet for this activity were provided to the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) at that meeting. This plan is being provided to your office for information purposes; however, any comments on the planned actions that may ultimately lead to a final remedy will be considered. We anticipate starting field activities in March 2002.

If you have any questions, please call Gabriela Lopez Escobedo at (505) 665-7352 or David Gregory at (505) 667-5808.

Sincerely,

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