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**RE: CERTIFICATES OF COMPLETION
FRIJOLES CANYON AGGREGATE AREA
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY
EPA ID #NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-10-102**

Dear Messrs. Rael and Graham:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the United States Department of Energy (DOE) and the Los Alamos National Security L.L.C.'s (LANS) (collectively, the Permittees) *Request for Certificates of Completion for Two Areas of Concern in the Frijoles Canyon Aggregate Area* (Request), dated December 21, 2010 and referenced by EP2010-0558. Results of site investigations for these two Areas of Concern (AOCs) were presented in the *Historical Investigation Report for Frijoles Canyon Aggregate Area*, dated October 2010.

The Permittees have satisfied the requirements of the March 1, 2005 Consent Order for corrective action at the following AOCs and the sites qualify for Corrective Action Complete status.

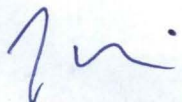
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1. AOC C-00-037 is an inactive landfill located west of the residential area within Bandelier National Monument (BNM). The landfill covers an area of approximately 1.3 acres and measures approximately 530 feet by 115 feet. The landfill appeared to have been created by filling an unnamed drainage. Drill and blasting holes in the bedrock exposures along the edges of the canyon indicate that the site may have been used as a quarry by the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) before it was used as a landfill. The landfill was used to dispose of wastes from visitor facilities and residences within the BNM from the 1950s until the early 1970s.
2. AOC C-00-038 is an inactive surface disposal area located southwest of the amphitheater at BNM. The disposal site covers an area of approximately 0.1 acre and measures approximately 75 feet by 60 feet. The site appears to have been created by quarrying and subsequent disposal of wastes by the CCC during the late 1930s and early 1940s.

Results of an Archeological Investigation conducted in 1994 and a RCRA Facility Investigation conducted in 1999 were used to determine that the waste and materials located at these two AOCs are not associated with Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL). If new information becomes available that indicates that either site was used by LANL and may pose a risk to human health or the environment, NMED may require the Permittees to conduct additional investigation at these sites. NMED hereby issues this Certificate of Completion for AOC C-00-037 and AOC C-00-038 pursuant to Section VII.E.6.b of the Consent Order.

Please contact Pat Stewart at (505) 476-6059, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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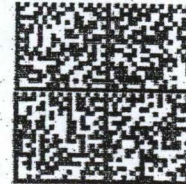
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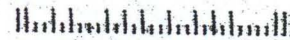
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