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December 31, 2014

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RE: THIRD EXTENSION REQUEST FOR SUBMITTAL OF THE DP WEST BUILDINGS 21-005 AND 21-150 BUILDING FOOTPRINT LETTER WORK PLANS LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY EPA ID#NM0890010515 HWB-LANL-11-033

Dear Messrs. Maggiore and Brandt:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of the United States Department of Energy (DOE) and Los Alamos National Security, L.L.C.'s (collectively, the Permittees) document entitled *Request for Extension to Submit the DP West Buildings* 21-002 and 21-150 Building Footprint Work Plans (Request) dated December 19, 2014 and referenced by ADESH-14-155. Since the Building 21-002 Footprint Letter Work Plan was approved with modifications on March 9, 2011, NMED's assumption is that the current request is meant to refer to Building 21-005 instead of 21-002. NMED has not been able to confirm this with the listed LANS contact, Mark Thacker, but this letter is based on the interpretation that the Request refers to Building 21-005.

The Permittees request the extension to submit the letter work plans for Buildings 21-005 and 21-150 at Technical Area (TA) 21. This is the third extension request for to submit the work plans (the previous extensions were granted on June 11, 2012 and May 30,

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2014). NMED has granted extensions based on the Permittees' need to divert resources to remove transuranic waste in accordance with the Framework Agreement. Based on the Permittees' inability to meet the deadlines that they committed to in the Framework Agreement, the request for extension to submit the work plan is hereby denied.

The submittal of the DP West Buildings 21-005 and 21-150 building footprint letter work plans is due no later than **December 31, 2014**, as previously scheduled.

Please contact Ben Wear at (505) 476-6041 if you have questions.

Sincerely,

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