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Dear Mr. Kieling:

Subject: Request to Withdraw the Class 1 Modification to the Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) Hazardous Waste Facility Permit, EPA ID No. NM0890010515

The purpose of this letter is to withdraw the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) and Los Alamos National Security, LLC (LANS) (collectively the Permittees), request for a Class 1 permit modification to add two structures within the boundary of the permitted unit at Technical Area (TA) 54, Pad 11, Dome 375. The modification was drafted in accordance with Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations (40 CFR) § 270.42(a) and submitted to the New Mexico Environment Department – Hazardous Waste Bureau (NMED-HWB) on January 22, 2015 (LAUR-15-20121).

The two structures included in the January submittal were to be added within Dome 375 for the purposes of managing hazardous waste and ultimately, upon approval by the NMED-HWB, used for temperature control of the nitrate salt-bearing waste containers. The remediation path has not been finalized; therefore, the installation of the units will not occur at this time or in the near future. The Permittees will coordinate closely with the NMED-HWB regarding any future permitting activities associated with nitrate salt bearing waste at the facility.

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If you have comments or questions regarding this permit modification, please contact Gene E. Turner, DOE, at (505) 667-5794 or Mark P. Haagenstad, LANS, at (505) 665-2014.

Sincerely,



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