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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

December 30, 2015

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RE:

EXTENSION REQUEST

SUBMITTAL OF THE REVISED DP SITE AGGREGATE AREA BUILDING 21-

257 FOOTPRINT LETTER WORK PLAN

EPA ID #NM0890010515 HWB-LANL-14-059

Dear Messrs. Hintze and Brandt:

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 to Defer Submittal of the Revised DP Site Aggregate Area Building 21-257 Footprint Letter Work Plan, dated December 18, 2015 and referenced by ADESH-15-185.

The Permittees request to defer submittal of the Revised DP Site Aggregate Area Building 21-257 Footprint Letter Work Plan (WP), from December 30, 2015 to February 28, 2018. The deferral is requested because "[T]he revision to the work plan and comment resolution are currently not prioritized within the near-term work scope...". The Permittees further state that the demolition of building 21-257 is not scheduled to begin until the third quarter of 2018. The submittal date for the WP has been changed to February 28, 2018, as requested.

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Please contact Neelam Dhawan at (505) 476-6042, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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