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November 9, 2016

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**RE: FEE ASSESSMENT AND APPROVAL
REQUEST FOR A CLASS 1 PERMIT MODIFICATION
TO REVISE TABLE K-1 OF ATTACHMENT K OF THE
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY (LANL)
HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY PERMIT
EPA ID #NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-16-054**

Dear Mr. Bretzke and Mr. Rhodes:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received from the United States Department of Energy (DOE) and Los Alamos National Security, LLC, (LANS) (collectively, the Permittees) a *Request for a Class 1 Permit Modification to the Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) Hazardous Waste Facility Permit, EPA ID No. NM0890010515* and referenced by EPC-DO-16-312 and LA-UR-16-27951. The Permittees submitted this permit modification request (PMR) requiring prior approval on October 27, 2016, seeking to modify the Permit to revise Table K-1 of Attachment K, *Listing of SWMUs and AOCs*, to identify four existing solid waste management units (SWMUs) and one existing area of concern (AOC), as 10 new SWMUs and two new AOCs, respectively.

The purpose of this permit modification is to facilitate the completion of corrective actions on

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the former Los Alamos Inn property portion of the SWMUs and AOCs prior to completion of corrective actions on the other privately-owned and DOE owned portions. The permit modification will allow the Permittees to expedite the requests for certificates of completion (CoCs) for the newly designated SWMUs and AOCs and assist in transitioning the former Los Alamos Inn property from its current vacant status to an economically productive use.

The NMED has reviewed this PMR in accordance with the New Mexico Administrative Code, Title 20, Chapter 4, Part 1 (20.4.1 NMAC) [incorporating Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Title 40 §270.42] and hereby issues this Approval.

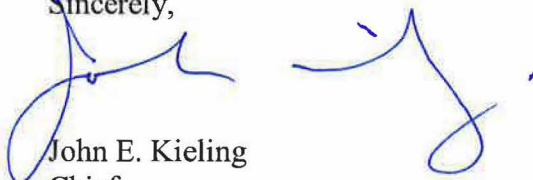
An electronic version of the Permit that incorporates the modifications is enclosed with this letter. The modified Permit is also available on the NMED's Hazardous Waste Bureau website at <https://www.env.nm.gov/HWB/lanlperm.html>.

The New Mexico Hazardous Waste Management Regulations at 20.4.1.901.A (10) NMAC states, "A final permit decision shall become effective thirty (30) days after the notice of the decision has been served on the applicant." The modified Permit will become effective 30 days after the date of this Approval.

The New Mexico Hazardous Waste Permit and Corrective Action Fee Regulations, 20.4.2.201.F NMAC, require the assessment of fees. The New Mexico Hazardous Waste Permit and Corrective Action Fee Regulations, specifically 20.4.2.201.F NMAC require the assessment of fees. Payment is due within sixty (60) calendar days from the date that you receive the invoice in accordance with 20.4.2.301.C NMAC. The fee invoice is attached to this letter.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Robert Murphy of my staff at 505-476-6022.

Sincerely,



John E. Kieling
Chief
Hazardous Waste Bureau

Attachments

- 1) Permit, Table K-1 of Attachment K, Revised
- 2) CD Attachment

cc:

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Quantity	Item	Item Cost	Total Cost
1	Class 1 (with prior approval)	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
		Total Fees	\$2,500.00
		Adjustment	\$0.00
		Pay This Amount	\$2,500.00

PAYMENT DUE

Make Checks Payable to: NMED/HWB

Mail Checks and Invoice to:

New Mexico Environment Department, HWB
Attn: James Valdez
2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Bldg 1
Santa Fe, NM 87505

When you provide a check as payment, you authorize the State of New Mexico to either use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check transaction.

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