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RE: ANNUAL PERIODIC MONITORING REPORT FOR THE MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA AB MONITORING GROUP LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY EPA ID#NM0890010515 HWB-LANL-17-054

Dear Messrs. Hintze and Robinson:

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) *Annual Periodic Monitoring Report for the Material Disposal Area AB Monitoring Group* (Report), dated August 2017 and referenced by LA-UR-17-27253. The Report was received on August 29, 2017. NMED has reviewed the Report and has no comments at this time.

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If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Dane Andersen of my staff at 505-476-6056.

Sincerely,

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