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**RE: APPROVAL WITH MODIFICATION
CLASS 1 PERMIT MODIFICATION REQUEST TO ADD A NEW
CO-OPERATOR
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY
EPA ID #NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-18-012**

Dear Messrs. Hintze, Brandt, and Goodrum:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the United States Department of Energy and Los Alamos National Security, LLC, (collectively, the Permittees) *Class 1 Permit Modification Request to Add a New Co-Operator* dated February 15, 2018, and received February 16, 2018; and referenced by LA-UR-18-20227 and ADESH-18-005.

The Permittees have submitted this Class 1 Permit Modification Request (PMR) with prior approval, seeking to modify Permit Parts 1, 3, 4, 7, and Permit Attachment B to reflect transfer of operational control from LANS to a new co-operator and permittee Newport News Nuclear BWXT-Los Alamos, LLC (N3B). The requested permit modification reflects the transfer of

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controls of specified hazardous waste management units (HWMUs) at Technical Area (TA) 54, Areas G, H, and L to N3B. LANS will continue to operate the HWMUs located at TAs 3, 14, 16, 36, 39, 50, 54 West, 55, and 63.

NMED has reviewed this PMR in accordance with the New Mexico Administrative Code Title 20, Chapter 4 (20.4.1.NMAC) and has incorporated the proposed modifications into the Permit. In addition, NMED has also made minor editorial changes to the Permit that are indicated in the attached Table 1.

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 <https://www.env.nm.gov/hazardous-waste/lanl-permit/>.

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

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Siona Briley at (505) 476-6049.

Sincerely,



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Attachments

- 1) Table 1: NMED Editorial Changes to Permit
- 2) CD Attachment

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Attachment 1:
Table 1: NMED Editorial Changes to the Permit

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Location	Section	Page	NMED's changes are highlighted in yellow
Attachment B	Part A Form, Box 4. Other Environmental Permits, Air Quality (National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants) Beryllium Machining:	3 of 85	108-M1-R6
Attachment B	Part A Form, Process Codes and Design Capacities; Line Number 8, and Box C [Technical Area 54, L]	5 of 85	001

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