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Subject: Request for Extension of Time to Respond to NMED Request for Information Regarding TRU Waste Containers Stored at Area G, TA-54, Los Alamos National Laboratory EPA ID#NM0890010515

Dear Mr. Kieling:

The United States Department of Energy (DOE) and its field offices, the National Nuclear Security Administration Los Alamos Field Office (NA-LA) and the DOE–Environmental Management Los Alamos Field Office (EM-LA) along with Triad National Security, LLC (Triad), and Newport News Nuclear BWXT–Los Alamos, LLC (N3B) collectively, the Permittees, are requesting a sixty-day extension to respond to the correspondence from the New Mexico Environment Department–Hazardous Waste Bureau (NMED-HWB) *Request for Information TRU Waste Containers Stored at Area G, TA-54 Los Alamos National Laboratory* dated September 23, 2019.

The Permittees are requesting a sixty-day extension from October 23, 2019 to December 22, 2019. The containers identified in the request for information (RFI) belong to both DOE field offices and require collaboration between personnel from both Triad and N3B to research, capture, and coordinate all of the required information for the containers. The time needed for verification of the information is comprehensive and substantial. In order to provide thorough and accurate documentation, the Permittees have determined the amount of time and personnel needed will exceed the October 23, 2019 deadline.

If you have questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Karen Armijo of NA-LA at (505) 665-7314 or Arturo Duran of EM-LA at (505) 500-7547.

Sincerely,



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