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October 25, 2019

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**RE: APPROVAL
SUPPLEMENTAL INVESTIGATION REPORT FOR S-SITE
AGGREGATE AREA, REVISION 1
EPA ID #NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-15-057**

Dear Mr. Hintze:

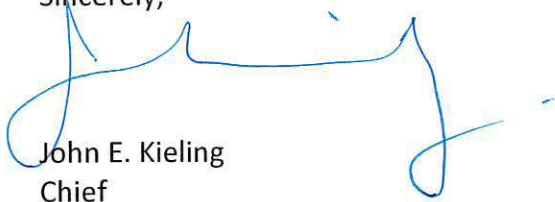
The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the United States Department of Energy (DOE) *Supplemental Investigation Report for S-Site Aggregate Area, Revision 1 (SIR)*, dated April 2019 and referenced by EM2019-0048. The SIR was received on April 25, 2019.

Supplemental Investigation Report for S-Site was submitted on November 19, 2015 (EP2015-0065). NMED reviewed the Report and provided comments to DOE on October 29, 2018. DOE's responses to NMED's comments were submitted on March 1, 2019 and approved by NMED on April 2, 2019. NMED comments have been incorporated in the revised SIR. The Report was submitted to fulfill Fiscal Year 2019 Milestone #7 of the Appendix B of the 2016 Compliance Order on Consent. NMED hereby issues approval of revised SIR.

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If you have any questions, please contact Mitchell Schatz at 505-476-6051

Sincerely,



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