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CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

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**RE: APPROVAL  
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION FOR SUBMITTAL OF LOS ALAMOS SITE TREATMENT PLAN,  
FISCAL YEAR 2019 ANNUAL UPDATE AND PROPOSED REVISION 30.0  
FEDERAL FACILITY COMPLIANCE ORDER (FFCO),  
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY  
EPA ID#NM0890010515  
HWB-LANL-19-071**

Dear Ms. Churchill and Ms. Von Rohr:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), Newport News Nuclear BWXT-Los Alamos, LLC (N3B), and Triad National Security, LLC (Triad), collectively referred to as the Respondents, *Request for Extension for Submittal of the Los Alamos Site Treatment Plan, Fiscal Year 2019 Annual Update and Proposed Revision 30.0, Federal Facility Compliance Order, October 4, 1995 (STP Update)* dated and received February 19, 2020, and referenced by N3B-20-0030.

Section VII of the Federal Facility Compliance Order requires that the Respondents submit Updates to the Annual Site Treatment Plan (STP) to NMED on or before March 31 of each year.

The Site Treatment Plan (STP) for Fiscal Year 2017 Revision 28.0 had several issues that needed to be resolved, and subsequently the submittal and review of Fiscal Year 2018 (Revision 29.0) was delayed. NMED is in the process of issuing a public notice for the Revision 29.0 of the STP. NMED provides 30-day public comment period and approves the STP after considering public comments receive during the comment period. Revision 30.0 of STP should be submitted after

the Respondents receive approval of revision 29.0 and are able to verify and validate the data after NMED's approval of Revision 29.0 of the STP.

The Respondents have requested a 90-day extension to submit the STP Update for Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 (Revision 29.0), to have sufficient time to validate data and to incorporate corrections to Revision 28.0 of the STP prior to submitting Revision 29.0 of the STP.

The Respondents have provided sufficient justification for the extension request, NMED hereby grants the Respondents a 90-day extension to submit the Annual Update to the Site Treatment Plan for Fiscal Year 2019, Revision 30.0. The STP Update for FY 2019 is due to NMED by **June 29, 2020**.

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

Sincerely,



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