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RE: **APPROVAL**
SEMIANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT ON CHROMIUM PLUME CONTROL
INTERIM MEASURE PERFORMANCE JANUARY THROUGH JUNE 2019
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY (LANL)
EPA ID #NM0890010515
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Dear Mr. Duran:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the United States Department of Energy's (DOE) *Semiannual Progress Report on Chromium Plume Control Interim Measure Performance January through June 2019* (Report), dated September 2019 and referenced by EM2019-0280. The Report was received on September 18, 2019. NMED issued a draft comment on November 6, 2019. DOE submitted a response on February 3, 2020. NMED's comment was adequately addressed by DOE and no revisions to the Report were required. NMED hereby issues this approval.

Mr. Duran
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If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Neelam Dhawan (505) 476-6042.

Sincerely,



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Attachment: NMED Draft Comment and DOE Response

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