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**RE: REVIEW**  
**2020 ANNUAL PERIODIC MONITORING REPORT FOR THE MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA C**  
**MONITORING GROUP, MORTANDAD CANYON WATERSHED, REVISION 1**  
**LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY**  
**EPA ID#NM0890010515**  
**HWB-LANL-20-033**


Dear Mr. Duran:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) received the United States Department of Energy's (DOE) *2020 Annual Periodic Monitoring Report for the Material Disposal Area C Monitoring Group, Mortandad Canyon Watershed, Revision 1* (Revised Report) on December 29, 2020. The Revised Report is dated January 2021 and referenced by EM2020-0681.

DOE submitted the *2020 Annual Periodic Monitoring Report for the Material Disposal Area C Monitoring Group, Mortandad Canyon Watershed* (Report) to NMED on May 28, 2020. On August 4, 2020, NMED submitted draft comments on the Report to DOE. DOE submitted responses to the review comments on October 6, 2020, which NMED accepted via a November 18, 2020 e-mail. NMED reviewed the Revised Report on December 30, 2020 and found that the Revised Report has adequately addressed NMED's comments. NMED comments and DOE responses are included in the Revised Report.

Should you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Christopher Krambis (505) 231-5423.

Sincerely,

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