

Environmental Management

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Date: July 27, 2023 Refer To: N3B-2023-0225

Subject:

Notice of Completion of Off-Site Waste Shipment for Final Disposal, Activity 4.0, Compliance Plan, Site Treatment Plan, Federal Facility Compliance Order, Los Alamos National Laboratory

Dear Ms. Briley:

This letter notifies the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) that Newport News Nuclear BWXT-Los Alamos, LLC (N3B) has completed required activities at Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL), as set forth in the Federal Facility Compliance Order (FFCO), Section 4.0 in the Part III Compliance Plan (CP) of the Site Treatment Plan (STP).

Activity 4.0 in the Part III CP of the STP requires that "within 45 working days of receipt of the waste at treatment facility or within 45 working days after completion of parallel option," the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) and N3B shall "provide documentation to NMED that waste was received at off-site facility or provide notification of parallel option."

On May 25, 2023, N3B shipped three (3) standard waste boxes-direct load (SWB-DL) of mixed transuranic (MTRU) waste (shipment LA230027) to the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) in Carlsbad, New Mexico. WIPP received the shipment on May 25, 2023. Shipment details are provided in Table 1.

Table 1 STP-Covered MTRU Shipment May 25, 2023, Shipped to WIPP, Sorted by Treatability Group

п					Volume	
Section					Removed	
) Sec					from STP	
		Mixed Waste		Shipment	Inventory	Shipment
CP	Shipped Container ID	Inventory Report	Treatability Group	Manifest	(m^3)	Date
4.0	LA00000077627	LA-CIN01.001	Cemented Sludge Waste	014834282FLE	1.878	5/25/2023
4.0	LA00000077629	LA-CIN01.001	Cemented Sludge Waste	014834282FLE	1.878	5/25/2023
4.0	LA00000077693	LA-CIN01.001	Cemented Sludge Waste	014834282FLE	1.878	5/25/2023
Total					5.634	

Note: The container volume reference in the LANL waste management database is the following: a 55-gal. drum is 0.208 m³, a SWB container is 1.9 m³. Prior to 2008, SWBs were noted as 1.9 m³ in a system called the Stored Waste Operations Oracle Network (SWOON). When the Waste Compliance and Tracking System (WCATS) was introduced as the new system being used, it was automatically populated with SWOON data. The current WCATS system automatically populates SWBs as 1.878 m³.

Copies of the waste manifests are enclosed (manifest 014834282FLE).

If you have any questions, please contact Anthony Stone at (505) 690-9505 (anthony.stone@emla.doe.gov) or Arturo Duran at (575) 373-5966 (arturo.duran@em.doe.gov).

Certification

In accordance with the requirements of Section XX of the FFCO, "Documents, Information, and Reporting Requirements," we certify, as the project managers responsible for overseeing the implementation of the STP for N3B and for DOE's Environmental Management Los Alamos Field Office (EM-LA) that, to the best of our knowledge, the information in the document is true, accurate, and complete.

Sincerely,

Anthony Stone

STP Project Manager

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N3B-Los Alamos

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Enclosure(s):

1. Manifest 014834282FLE

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