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RE: RESPONSE TO APPROVAL WITH MODIFICATIONS

FINAL INTERIM MEASURES COMPLETION REPORT

PARCEL 21, SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNIT 1 - TNT LEACHING BEDS REVISION 2

FORT WINGATE DEPOT ACTIVITY MCKINLEY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

EPA ID# NM6213820974 HWB-FWDA-19-006

HWB-FWDA-19-000

Dear Mr. Cushman,

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of the Fort Wingate Depot Activity (FWDA or Permittee) Response to Approval with Modifications, Final Interim Measures Completion Report Parcel 21, Solid Waste Management Unit 1 – TNT Leaching Beds Revision 2 (Response), dated June 14, 2023.

NMED has reviewed the Response and found that all of the comments included in the NMED's April 3, 2023 were adequately addressed. However, the Permittee failed to provide an electronic version of the revised Report and replacement pages for the revised Section 5.8 in the submittal, as required. Submit an electronic version of the revised Report and replacement pages for the revised Section 5.8 no later than **November 30, 2023**.

Should you have any questions, please contact Michiya Suzuki of my staff at (505) 690-6930.

Sincerely,

Ricardo Maestas Digitally signed by Ricardo Maestas Date: 2023.10.19 07:09:12 -06'00'

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