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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

January 14, 2013

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**RE: EXTENSION REQUEST APPROVAL
PHASE 2 SOIL BACKGROUND REPORT
FORT WINGATE DEPOT ACTIVITY
EPA ID# NM6213820974
FWDA-MISC**

Dear Messrs. Patterson and Smith:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) received the Department of the Army's (Permittee) letter, dated December 13, 2012, and received on December 20, 2012 requesting a time extension for submittal of the *Phase 2 Soil Background Report* (Report). The Permittee requests the time extensions due to additional time required to obtain samples, perform sample analysis and data review, perform statistical analysis, and prepare the Report. The Permittee requests to submit the Report by February 28, 2013.

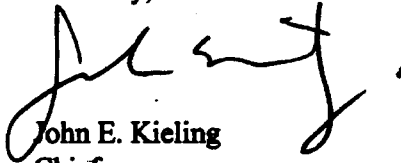
NMED hereby approves the extension to submit the Report. The Permittee must submit the Report by February 28, 2013, as requested.

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If you have any questions regarding this letter, please call Shannon Duran of my staff at (505) 476-6058.

Sincerely,



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