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February 2, 2018

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**RE: APPROVAL
FINAL GROUNDWATER PERIODIC MONITORING REPORT, REVISION 1
JANUARY THROUGH JUNE 2016 (HWB-FWDA-16-013) NEW MEXICO
ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT APPROVAL WITH MODIFICATIONS
LETTER DATED DECEMBER 15, 2017, ARMY'S RESPONSE LETTER
FORT WINGATE DEPOT ACTIVITY
MCKINLEY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
EPA ID# NM6213820974
HWB-FWDA-16-013**

Dear Messrs. Patterson and Smith:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of the Fort Wingate Depot Activity (Permittee) *Final Groundwater Periodic Monitoring Report, Revision 1 January through June 2016 (HWB-FWDA-16-013) New Mexico Environmental Department Approval with Modifications Letter dated December 15, 2017, Army's Response Letter* (Response Letter), dated January 23, 2018. NMED has reviewed and hereby issues this Approval.

The Permittee addressed all comments contained in NMED's December 15, 2017 *Approval with Modifications letter for the Groundwater Periodic Monitoring Report January through June 2016* in the Response Letter. In future reports and work plans, the screening level for delta-hexachlorocyclohexane (delta-bhc) must be specified in the summary of pesticides analytical results.

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Should you have any questions, please contact Michiya Suzuki of my staff at (505) 476-6059.

Sincerely,



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