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June 7, 2018

Mr. John Kieling Chief, Hazardous Waste Bureau New Mexico Environment Department 2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Building 1 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

RE: Extension Request for the Final RCRA Facility Investigation, Phase 2 Report, Parcel 21, Fort Wingate Depot Activity, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Kieling,

The purpose of this letter is to request an extension from July 31, 2014 to December 31, 2019 for the submission of the *Final RCRA Facility Investigation, Phase 2 Report, Parcel 21, Fort Wingate Depot Activity, New Mexico.* 

The field work for the Parcel 21 Phase 2 RFI Work Plan was completed in August 2014 which was after the July 31, 2014 deadline due to a contract action for modification delay. A phone call agenda with New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) noted on April 17, 2014 appears to include the discussion of combining the Parcel 21 Phase 2 RFI Report into the Parcel 21 Permittee-Initiated Interim Measures (PIIM) Work Plan (WP). No official or unofficial correspondence asking for extension or informing NMED that the Parcel 21 Phase 2 RFI report would be incorporated into the Parcel 21 PIIM WP has been found. These documents were combined in the *Final Permittee-Initiated Interim Measures Work Plan, Parcel 21, Revision 1.0, Fort Wingate Depot Activity, New Mexico,* dated October 28, 2015. The October 28, 2015 PIIM WP was approved with modifications by NMED on July 26, 2016. The Army requested concurrence on combining the Parcel 21 Phase 2 RFI and Parcel 21 PIIM WP. However, the request was denied in an email from NMED dated May 3, 2018 stating Fort Wingate Depot Activity must submit the Parcel 21 RFI Phase 2 report for NMED review.

The Army is seeking extension in time under RCRA Permit Section I.M. due to additional time needed to prepare the document.

If you have questions or require further information, please call me at (505) 721-9770.

Sincerely,

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