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**RE: APPROVAL WITH MODIFICATIONS
FINAL WORK PLAN MUNITIONS AND EXPLOSIVES OF CONCERN
REMOVAL AND SURFACE CLEARANCE KICKOUT AREA
FORT WINGATE DEPOT ACTIVITY
MCKINLEY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
EPA ID #NM213820974
HWB-FWDA-15-004**

Dear Messrs. Patterson and Smith:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received Fort Wingate's *Final Work Plan Munitions and Explosives of Concern Removal and Surface Clearance Kickout Area* (Work Plan), dated February 6, 2015 and received February 9, 2015. The Work Plan for the Kickout Area was submitted to NMED by the U.S. Department of the Army (the Permittee) for the Fort Wingate Depot Activity, in McKinley County, New Mexico. NMED has reviewed this Work Plan, and hereby issues this Approval with the following modification.

Modification:

Estimated Outer Boundary of the Kickout Area

Permit Section IV.A, Confirmation of Kickout Area, establishes the estimated outer boundary of the Kickout Area “by adding at least 275 feet along a radial transect from the furthest detected waste military munitions or waste military munitions scrap.” Should the Permittee discover waste military munitions or waste military munitions scrap in the outer 275 feet of the Kickout Area as designated on Map B-3 of the Work Plan, the Permittee must contact NMED with details of the object discovered and its location in order to discuss the potential need to extend the Kickout Area boundary in the area of the discovery.

Please contact Ben Wear at (505) 476-6041, if you have any questions regarding this letter.

Sincerely,



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