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July 3, 2008

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RE: PARCEL 21 RELEASE ASSESSMENT REPORT FEBRUARY 7, 2008 FORT WINGATE DEPOT ACTIVITY, MCKINLEY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO EPA ID# NM6213820974 FWDA-07-003

Dear Messrs. Patterson and Smith:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has completed its review of the Department of the Army's (the Permittee) *Release Assessment Report for Parcel 21* (the Report), dated February 21, 2008. Based on the information provided for Area of Concern (AOC) 87 and AOC 71 in the Report, NMED does not require further site assessment at these locations. At the Permittee's discretion the Permittee may petition for a permit modification to move AOC 87 and AOC 71 from Table 1 (Solid Waste Management Units (SWMUs) and Areas of Concern (AOCs) That Require Corrective Action) to Table 4 (SWMUs and AOCs Corrective Action Complete Without Controls), which are located in Attachment 8 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Permit.

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If you have any questions please contact Tammy Diaz-Martinez of my staff at (505) 476-6056.

Sincerely,

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