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John Kieling, Bureau Chief Hazardous Waste Bureau New Mexico Environment Department 2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Building 1 Santa Fe, NM 87505-6303

## Subject: Notice of Submittal of New Mexico Hazardous Waste Act Disclosure Statements

Dear Mr. Kieling:

On March 22, 2018, the New Mexico Environment Department's Hazardous Waste Bureau approved a Class 1 Permit Modification Request for Newport News Nuclear BWXT – Los Alamos, LLC (N3B) (a Permittee) to become a co-operator of the Los Alamos National Laboratory Hazardous Waste Permit. In addition to the Class 1 Permit Modification Request, the Hazardous Waste Act (New Mexico Statutes Annotated 1978, Section 74-4-4.7) and the New Mexico Hazardous Waste Management Regulations (20 New Mexico Administrative Code 4.1) require that applicants for hazardous waste facility permits file a disclosure statement with information required by the New Mexico Environment Department.

We greatly appreciate N3B's co-operator status and anticipate benefits to all parties that will allow us to quickly and effectively reach our common goals of environmental remediation and protection.

In reference to the regulatory requirements above, N3B has worked diligently to successfully launch one of Los Alamos' largest start-up endeavors earlier this year. We are nearly fully staffed and can identify the appropriate personnel to complete the required disclosure forms. We anticipate submitting all disclosure forms to you within 45 days from the date of this letter.

Thank you in advance for your consideration. Please contact Stacie Singleton at (505) 695-4257 (stacie.singleton@em-la.doe.gov) or Arturo Duran at (505) 665-7772 (arturo.duran@em.doe.gov) if you have any questions.

John Kieling

Sincerely,

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