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Attention of: RE-12-154

**RE: APPROVAL  
WESTBAY WELL CONVERSION WORK PLAN  
NATIONAL AERONAUTICS SPACE ADMINISTRATION (NASA)  
JOHNSON SPACE CENTER (JSC) WHITE SANDS TEST FACILITY (WSTF)  
DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
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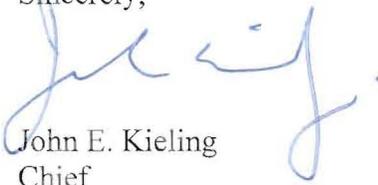
Dear Ms. Bunker-Farrah:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the NASA WSTF (Permittee) *Westbay Well Conversion Work Plan* (Plan), dated November 2012 and received November 5, 2012. NMED has completed its review of the Plan and hereby approves the Plan. The Permittee must submit a report summarizing the conversion activities within 60 days of conversion of the last well as scheduled in the Plan.

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If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Daniel Comeau at (505) 476-6043.

Sincerely,



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