

**Completion of Corrective Action
at Site 00-018(b)
in P-SMA-0.3**

September 13, 2013

NPDES PERMIT NO. NM0030759

LA-UR-13-27052

LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY
CERTIFICATION OF COMPLETION OF CORRECTIVE ACTION

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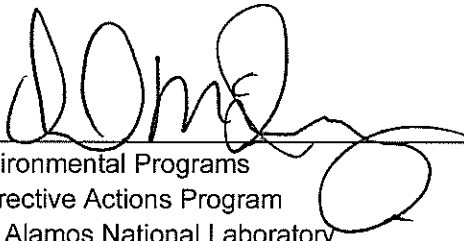
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The following certification was performed in accordance with NPDES Permit No. NM0030759, Part I.E.2, which requires the Permittees (i.e., DOE and LANS) to certify the completion of corrective action.

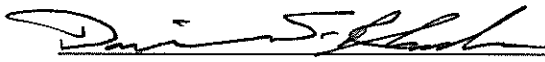
CERTIFICATION STATEMENT OF AUTHORIZATION

"I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate and complete. I am aware there are significant penalties for submitting false information including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations."



Environmental Programs
Corrective Actions Program
Los Alamos National Laboratory

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This certificate indicates completion of corrective action for Site 00-018(b) pursuant to Part 1, E.2(d), of the Individual Permit NM0030759. This certification that corrective action is complete was prepared in accordance with 40 Code of Federal Regulations 122.22(b).

Table 1 presents the Site achieving Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Corrective Action Complete without Controls status under the Compliance Order on Consent (the Consent Order). Analytical results obtained from baseline confirmation monitoring at P-SMA-0.3 exceeded target action levels for mercury, radium-226+radium-228, gross alpha, selenium, and copper, causing the Permittees to initiate corrective action. The Permittees are certifying completion of correction action at Site 00-018(b) through a demonstration that the Site has achieved a certificate of completion under the Section VII.E.6.b of the Consent Order. Attachment 1 contains a copy of the certificate of completion from the New Mexico Environment Department for Site 00-018(b), which is designated as Area of Concern 00-018(b) for purposes of the Consent Order.

**Table 1
Site(s) Demonstrating Completion of Corrective Action**

Site Number	Associated SMA Number	Watershed	Site Priority
00-018(b)	P-SMA-0.3	Los Alamos/Pueblo	Moderate

Attachment 1

Certificate of Completion for Site 00-018(b)



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January 14, 2011

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**RE: CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION
PUEBLO CANYON AGGREGATE AREA
AREA OF CONCERN (AOC) 00-018(b)
LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY
EPA ID #NM0890010515
HWB-LANL-10-096**

Dear Messrs. Rael and Graham:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the Department of Energy (DOE) and the Los Alamos National Security L.L.C.'s (LANS) (collectively, the Permittees) *Request for Certificate of Completion for Area of Concern 00-018(b), Bayo Wastewater Treatment Plant, Pueblo Canyon Aggregate Area*, dated December 10, 2010. Results of the associated facility demolition were presented in the *Demolition Documentation Report for the Bayo Canyon Wastewater Treatment Plant, Area of Concern 00-018(b)*, dated April 2010, and referenced by LA-UR-10-2076 and EP2010-0138.

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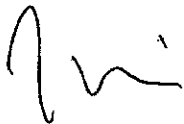
AOC 00-018(b) is the former Bayo Canyon municipal wastewater treatment plant (WWTP) that was owned and operated by Los Alamos County. The Bayo WWTP was demolished by the County between October 2009 and February 2010. Although the evaluation of potential human health and ecological risks from the site indicated that AOC 00-018(b) does not pose an unacceptable risk to human health or to ecological receptors as presented and discussed in the July 2008 *Investigation Report for Pueblo Canyon Aggregate Area Revision 1* (LA-UR-08-4765 and EP2008-0391), NMED required the Permittees to observe and document demolition of the plant to ensure that contaminant releases had not occurred or were not present beneath site structures.

NMED has determined that the requirements of the Consent Order have been satisfied and the site qualifies for "Corrective Action Complete Without Controls" status. NMED hereby issues this certificate of completion for AOC 00-018(b) pursuant to Section VII.E.6.b of the Consent Order.

If, in the future, any additional information becomes available that indicates that the site may pose a risk to human health or the environment, NMED may require the Permittees to conduct additional corrective action at the site.

Please contact Daniel Comeau at (505) 476-6043, should you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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