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Subject: NPDES Permit No. NM0030759 - Submittal of Certification of Completion of Corrective Action for One Site [06-006] Following Analytical Results below Target Action Levels

Dear Ms. Johnsey:

This document is being submitted in accordance with the requirements of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit No. NM0030759 for Los Alamos National Laboratory, issued to Los Alamos National Security, LLC, and the U.S. Department of Energy, effective November 1, 2010. As specified in Part I, Section E.2(a):

Analytical results from confirmation sampling show pollutant concentrations for all pollutants of concern at the Site to be at or below applicable target action levels.

The certification that corrective action is complete was prepared in accordance with 40 Code of Federal Regulations 122.22(b). Accordingly, analytical results below target action levels (TALs) from two confirmation samples collected from two measurable storm events occurring at least 15 days apart for Site 06-006 (2M-SMA-1.45) are enclosed (Table 1). The analytical results can be accessed at the following website: <http://www.lanl.gov/community-environment/environmental-stewardship/protection/compliance/individual-permit-stormwater/index.php>.

Table 1
Confirmation Samples Collected at One Site
from Two Measurable Storm Events with Results below TALs

Site Number	SMA Number	Permitted Feature	Sample Collection Dates
06-006	2M-SMA-1.45	E005	July 7 and August 1, 2015

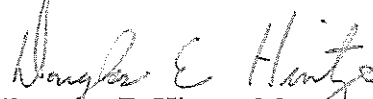
If you have any questions, please contact Terrill Lemke at (505) 665-2397 (tlemke@lanl.gov) or David Rhodes at (505) 665-5325 (david.rhodes@em.doe.gov).

Sincerely,



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Attachment: One hard copy with electronic files – Certification of Completion of Corrective Action for One Site [06-006] Following Analytical Results below Target Action Levels.

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**Analytical Results from Confirmation Samples
Collected from Two Measurable Storm Events
Following Installation of Control
Measures at 2M-SMA-1.45**

October 30, 2015

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**LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY
ANALYTICAL RESULTS FROM TWO MEASURABLE STORM EVENTS**

PF: E005

2M-SMA-1.45

Site: 06-006

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



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Los Alamos National Laboratory



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Environmental Management
U.S. Department of Energy



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PF: E005

2M-SMA-1.45

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Tables 1 and 2 present the analytical results received from the confirmation samples collected from two measurable storm events occurring at least fifteen days apart following the installation of enhanced controls at site monitoring area (SMA) 2M-SMA-1.45. Table 3 presents each applicable target action level (TAL) for the analytes monitored.

**Table 1
Radiochemical Analytical Results from Two Measurable Storm Events
Following Installation of Enhanced Controls,
2M-SMA-1.45**

Sample ID	Analyte	Field Prep	Detect Status	Result (pCi/L)	Minimum Detectable Activity (pCi/L)	Uncertainty (pCi/L)	Qualifier*	Sample Collection Date
WT_IPC-15-101940	Gross alpha	Unfiltered	Detect	2.88	2.28	0.781	NQ	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101940	Radium-226 and Radium-228	Unfiltered	Detect	1.6	1.16	0.426	NQ	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-102874	Gross alpha	Unfiltered	Non-Detect	0.914	3.04	0.891	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102874	Radium-226 and Radium-228	Unfiltered	Non-Detect	1.05	1.184	0.402	U	08/01/2015

Note: TAL exceedance ratio is a preliminary average from the first of at least two confirmation samples.

* Qualifier: NQ = Result is not qualified; U = result is not detected.

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**Table 2
Metals and Organic Analytical Results from Two Measurable Storm Events
Following Installation of Enhanced Controls,
2M-SMA-1.45**

Sample ID	Analyte	Field Prep	Detect Status	Result (µg/L)	Method Detection Limit	Quantitation Limit	Qualifier*	Data Receipt Date
WT_IPC-15-101945	Aluminum, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	682	15	50	NQ	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Antimony, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	1	1	3	U	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Arsenic, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	1.7	1.7	5	U	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Boron, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	19.9	15	50	J	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Cadmium, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	0.11	0.11	1	U	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Chromium, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	2	2	10	U	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Cobalt, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	1	1	5	U	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Copper, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	2.96	0.35	1	NQ	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101940	Cyanide, weak acid dissociable	Unfiltered	Nondetect	2.14	2.14	5	UJ	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Lead, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	0.5	0.5	2	U	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101940	Mercury	Unfiltered	Nondetect	0.067	0.067	0.2	U	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Nickel, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	0.646	0.5	2	J	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101940	Selenium	Unfiltered	Nondetect	1.5	1.5	5	U	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Silver, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	0.2	0.2	1	U	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Thallium, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	0.45	0.45	2	U	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Vanadium, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	2.67	1	5	J	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-101945	Zinc, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	6.43	3.3	10	J	07/07/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Aluminum, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	133	15	50	NQ	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Antimony, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	1	1	3	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Arsenic, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	1.7	1.7	5	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Boron, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	17.1	15	50	J	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Cadmium, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	0.11	0.11	1	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Chromium, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	2	2	10	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Cobalt, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	1	1	5	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Copper, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	3.03	0.35	1	NQ	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102874	Cyanide, weak acid dissociable	Unfiltered	Nondetect	2.14	2.14	5	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Lead, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	0.5	0.5	2	U	08/01/2015

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Sample ID	Analyte	Field Prep	Detect Status	Result (µg/L)	Method Detection Limit	Quantitation Limit	Qualifier*	Data Receipt Date
WT_IPC-15-102874	Mercury	Unfiltered	Nondetect	0.067	0.067	0.2	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Nickel, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	0.557	0.5	2	J	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102874	Selenium	Unfiltered	Nondetect	1.5	1.5	5	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Silver, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	0.2	0.2	1	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Thallium, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	0.45	0.45	2	U	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Vanadium, dissolved	Filtered	Detect	1.39	1	5	J	08/01/2015
WT_IPC-15-102879	Zinc, dissolved	Filtered	Nondetect	3.3	3.3	10	U	08/01/2015

* Qualifier: NQ = Result is not qualified; U = result is not detected; UJ = result is not detected the detection limit is estimated.
J = Result is estimated.

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**Table 3
Applicable TALs**

Analyte	Units	CAS No.	MQL	ATAL	MTAL
Aluminum, dissolved	µg/L	7429-90-5	2.5	n/a	750
Antimony, dissolved	µg/L	7440-36-0	60	640	n/a
Arsenic, dissolved	µg/L	7440-38-2	0.5	9	340
Boron, dissolved	µg/L	7440-42-8	100	5000	n/a
Cadmium, dissolved	µg/L	7440-43-9	1	n/a	0.6
Chromium, dissolved	µg/L	7440-47-3	10	n/a	210
Cobalt, dissolved	µg/L	7440-48-4	50	1000	n/a
Copper, dissolved	µg/L	7440-40-8	0.5	n/a	4.3
Cyanide, weak acid dissociable	µg/L	57-12-5	10	5.2	22
Lead, dissolved	µg/L	7439-92-1	0.5	n/a	17
Mercury	µg/L	7439-97-6	0.005	0.77	1.4
Nickel, dissolved	µg/L	7440-02-0	0.5	n/a	170
Selenium	µg/L	7782-49-2	5	5	20
Silver, dissolved	µg/L	7440-22-4	0.5	n/a	0.4
Thallium, dissolved	µg/L	7440-28-0	0.5	6.3	n/a
Vanadium, dissolved	µg/L	7440-62-2	50	100	n/a
Zinc, dissolved	µg/L	7440-66-6	20	n/a	42
Gross alpha	pCi/L	n/a	n/a	15	n/a
Radium-226 and Radium-228	pCi/L	n/a	n/a	30	n/a

Notes: CAS = Chemical Abstracts Service; MQL = Minimum Quantification Level;
MTAL = Maximum TAL; ATAL = Average TAL.

*N/A = Value is not applicable.