January 16, 2004

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD
AGENCY INITIATED PERMIT MODIFICATION TO THE
HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY PERMIT FOR
KIRTLAND AIR FORCE BASE EPA ID NO. NMD9570024423

Dear Interested Citizen:

Enclosed is a Public Notice for a proposed agency-initiated modification by the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) to the Kirtland Air Force Base (Permittee) Hazardous Waste Facility Permit. NMED is announcing the availability of the draft Permit for public comment, and the opportunity to request a public hearing. This permit modification would add corrective measures requirements for SWMU 6-1, Landfill 1 (LF-001); SWMU 6-2, Landfill 2 (LF-002); and SWMU 6-4, Landfills 4, 5, and 6 (LF-008) to the Permittees’ Hazardous Waste Facility Permit.

The Permittee is located at the following address: Kirtland Air Force Base, 2000 Wyoming Blvd., SE, Kirtland AFB, NM 87117-5000.

Written public comment or a request for public hearing on the draft Permit must be received no later than 5:00 PM, March 1, 2004. Please refer to the enclosed Public Notice for additional information including submittal of written public comment or a request for public hearing.

Any person seeking additional information regarding this notice or the draft permit may contact:

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Enclosure