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Dear Mr. Pierard

The U.S. Air Force (USAF) is submitting this letter to notify the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) that the bioventing pilot test equipment located at the Bulk Fuels Facility at Kirtland Air Force Base will be permanently decommissioned. The decision to decommission the equipment is based on the "*Technical Memo: Bioventilation Pilot Test November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 Shutdown, Bulk Fuels Facility Solid Waste Management Units ST-106 and SS-111, Kirtland Air Force Base, New Mexico, EPA ID# NM6213820974, HWB-KAFB-20-001.*" The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) concurred with the decision to terminate the bioventilation pilot test in a letter dated February 11, 2021. The decommissioning of the bioventilation equipment will be initiated in 45 days of the date that this letter is received by NMED unless otherwise directed.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mr. Sheen Kottkamp at commercial line 505-846-7674 or email [sheen.kottkamp.1@us.af.mil](mailto:sheen.kottkamp.1@us.af.mil).

Sincerely

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