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February 12, 2002

Mr. James H. Moore
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Rinchem Company, Inc.
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Albuquerque, New Mexico 87107

RE: RCRA PERMIT FOR CONTAINER STORAGE FACILITY
RINCHEM COMPANY, INC., NEW MEXICO NMD002208627

Dear Mr. Moore:

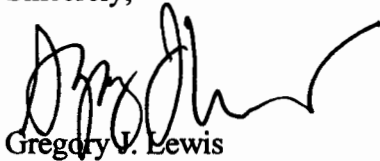
Enclosed is the final permit, issued pursuant to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (**RCRA**), as amended (42 USC 6901, et seq.) and the New Mexico Hazardous Waste Act (Section 74-4-1 et seq., Repl. Pamh. 2000). This Permit, Number NMD002208627, authorizes acceptance, management and storage of hazardous waste by Rinchem Company, Inc., (**Rinchem**) at their container storage facility. Your compliance with the conditions of this permit constitutes compliance with hazardous waste regulations for hazardous waste management and storage for the duration of this permit, unless modified, suspended or revoked. The effective date of this permit is thirty days from the date of this letter.

A Public Notice of the draft permit and public comment period was issued on December 14, 2001 and concluded on January 28, 2002. No comments were received from the public.

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Please contact Cornelius Amindyas, at (505) 841-9488, should you have any questions regarding this permit.

Sincerely,



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**RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT
HAZARDOUS WASTE BUREAU
OPERATING PERMIT
EPA ID No.NMD00208627**

to

RINCHEM COMPANY, INC.

for the

CONTAINER STORAGE FACILITY

Located at

6133 EDITH BOULEVARD N.E.,ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

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HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY PERMIT

Name of Permittee: Rinchem Company, Inc.

EPA Identification Number: NMD002208627

Permit Number: NMD002208627-2

Pursuant to the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), as amended (42 U.S.C. 6901, et seq.), and the New Mexico Hazardous Waste Act, NMSA 1978, Sections 74-4-1 et seq. (Repl. Pamph. 1993), and regulations promulgated thereunder by the New Mexico Environmental Improvement Board (codified and to be codified in the Hazardous Waste Management Regulations [20.4.1 NMAC]), a Permit is issued to Rinchem Company, Inc., (the Permittee) to operate a hazardous waste Container Storage Facility (the Facility), comprising seven rooms. The Facility is located at 6133 Edith Boulevard N.E., in the City of Albuquerque, Bernalillo County, New Mexico, on Latitude 35° 08' 39" North, and Longitude 106° 37' 43" West.

The Permittee shall comply with all terms and conditions of this Permit. This Permit consists of the conditions herein including those in the Attachments. Applicable provisions of regulations cited are those which are in effect on the effective date of this permit, New Mexico Hazardous Waste Management Regulations 20.4.1 NMAC (Effective June 14, 2000).

This Permit is based on the assumption that all information contained in the Permit Application and the administrative record is accurate and that the Facility shall be maintained and operated as specified in the application. The permit application consists of information submitted in February 1998 and supplementary technical documents.

Any inaccuracies found in the submitted information may be grounds for the termination or modification of this Permit in accordance with 20.4.1.900 NMAC, incorporating 40 CFR §270.41, §270.42, and §270.43 and for potential enforcement action.

This Permit shall become effective thirty days (30) after notice of the decision has been served on the applicant, and shall remain in effect for ten (10) years in accordance with the New Mexico Hazardous Waste Act, Section 74-4-4 unless modified, suspended or revoked under Section 74-4-4.2 or 20.4.1.900 NMAC, incorporating 40 CFR §270.41, §270.42, §270.43, or continued in accordance with 20.4.1.900 NMAC, incorporating 40 CFR §270.51, or issued for a duration that is less than the full allowable term in accordance with 20.4.1.900 NMAC, incorporating 40 CFR §270.50(c).

Signed this 12th day of February 2002.

by _____

Gregory J. Lewis
Director
Water and Waste Management Division
New Mexico Environment Department

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LIST OF ACRONYMS

AOC	Area of Concern
AMU	Atomic Mass Unit
ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials
BGS	Below Ground Surface
CAMU	Corrective Action Management Unit
CEC	Cation Exchange Capacity
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
CES	Civil Engineering Squadron
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CMS	Corrective Measure Study
COC	Chain of Custody
CSF	Container Storage Facility
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation
DQO	Data Quality Objectives
EC	Emergency Coordinator
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
GC/MS	Gas Chromatography/Mass Spectrometry
HWB	Hazardous Waste Bureau
HWA	New Mexico Hazardous Waste Act
KOP	Knowledge of Process
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MSDS	Material Safety Data Sheet
MS/MSD	Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicate
NERI	Northeast Research Institute
NMAC	New Mexico Administrative Code
NMED	New Mexico Environment Department
PARCC	Precision, Accuracy, Representativeness, Completeness, and Comparability
PCBs	Polychlorinated Biphenyls
PID	Photo-ionization Detector
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
QA/QC	Quality Assurance/Quality Control
QAPP	Quality Assurance Project Plans
RCI	Rinchem Company, Inc.
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
RFI	RCRA Facility Investigation
SAP	Sampling and Analysis Plan
SAR	SWMU Assessment Report
SCBA	Self Contained Breathing Apparatus
SOP	Standard Operating Procedures
SVOCs	Semi Volatile Organic Compounds

LIST OF ACRONYMS (Continued)

SWMU	Solid Waste Management Unit
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
TSDF	Treatment, Storage and Disposal Facility
VOCs	Volatile Organic Compounds
WAP	Waste Analysis Plan
WQCC	New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission