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Subject: Final Report for Sandia National Laboratories Central Characterization Program
Recertification Audit A-17-24

Dear Mr. Kieling:

This letter transmits the Final Report for Carlsbad Field Office (CBFO) Recertification Audit A-17-24 of the Sandia National Laboratories Central Characterization Program in accordance with the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant Hazardous Waste Facility Permit. The report contains the results of the audit, which was conducted on July 18, 2017.

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision according to 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 that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fines and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Please contact Mr. Dennis S. Miehl, Senior Quality Assurance Specialist, at (575) 234-7491 should you have any questions concerning this audit report.

Sincerely,

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Todd Shrader, Manager
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Enclosure