

**NOTICE**  
**Sandia National Laboratories**

**Notification of Class 1 Modifications to  
Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Permit**

**Hazardous Waste Management Facility**

On behalf of the Department of Energy (DOE) and Sandia Corporation (Sandia), DOE is notifying you of Class 1 (minor) modifications to the hazardous waste operating permit for the Hazardous Waste Management Facility (HWMF) at Sandia National Laboratories/New Mexico (SNL/NM), Operating Permit NM5890110518-1.

The HWMF is used for storage and repackaging of RCRA-regulated wastes generated by operations at SNL/NM. The wastes are transported to off-site permitted facilities for treatment, storage, and/or disposal. The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has approved DOE and Sandia's request for the following modifications to Permit Attachment G *Part A of Permit Application*:

- Updated facility contact information;
- Increased authorized quantities of two hazardous wastes; and
- Updated list of active environmental permits at SNL/NM.

Hazardous wastes containing chloroform and pyridine have been generated for many years as a result of scientific research and other work activities at SNL/NM. New research and revised activities are now generating slightly larger quantities of these wastes; therefore DOE and Sandia requested that NMED increase the authorized quantities.

These changes do not substantially alter the conditions of the permit or the waste management operations at SNL/NM. These changes do not reduce the capacity of DOE and Sandia to protect human health and the environment.

In accordance with New Mexico Administrative Code, Title 20, Chapter 4, Part 1, Subpart IX (20.4.1.900 NMAC) incorporating Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 270.42(a) (40 CFR 270.42(a)), the changes took effect when NMED approved them on April 4, 2011.

Any questions regarding these permit modifications may be directed toward any of the following contacts:

*Department of Energy Contact.* David Rast, (505) 845-5349.

*Sandia National Laboratories Contact.* Anita Reiser, (505) 284-4048.

*New Mexico Environment Department Contact.* John Kieling, (505) 428-2535.



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