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Subject: State Implementation Plan (SIP) infrastructure requirements under Section 110(a)(1) and (2) of the Clean Air Act (CAA)

Dear Mr. Donaldson

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This letter is submitted to fulfill Bernalillo County's requirements under Sections 110(a)(1) and (2) of the CAA. The Clean Air Act requires all states to submit plans to provide for the implementation, maintenance and enforcement of the 8-hour ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS). The U. S. Environmental Protection Agency is obligated to make a determination on whether states satisfy the requirements of Section 110(a)(1) and (2) for the 8-hour ozone NAAQS by December 15, 2007.

The Albuquerque Air Quality Division, as agent for the Albuquerque-Bernalillo County Air Quality Control Board and through the City of Albuquerque's Department of Environmental Health, has evaluated the existing New Mexico State Implementation Plan for Air Quality (SIP), and finds that the Albuquerque-Bernalillo County portion of the SIP satisfies the necessary remaining 110 (a)(1) and (2) requirements for the 8-hour NAAQS.

If you have further questions pertaining to this matter, please contact Isreal Tavarez, Environmental Engineering Manager of the Air Quality Division at 505-768-1965.

Sincerely,

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