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Mr. Frank Chaves Environmental Director The Pueblo of Sandia Resort and Casino 30 Rainbow Road N.E. Albuquerque, New Mexico 87113-2156

Dear Mr. Chaves:

We wish to inform you that the draft Synthetic Minor Source Permit for the Sandia Resort and Casino and the technical support document (TSD) have been completed. The public comment period on the draft permit will begin Thursday, November 12, 2015, and will end on Monday, December 14, 2015. A copy of the draft permit and TSD are enclosed and will be made available to the public for review at the Pueblo of Sandia Learning Center in Bernalillo County and on our EPA Region 6 website at: <a href="http://www2.epa.gov/caa-permitting/tribal-nsr-permits-epas-south-central-region">http://www2.epa.gov/caa-permitting/tribal-nsr-permits-epas-south-central-region</a>. In the public notice, we have scheduled a public hearing for January 21, 2016, from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. If the public hearing is held, the public comment period shall automatically be extended to the close of the public hearing. The public hearing is scheduled for the following location:

Sandia Police Department Conference Room 10600 Apache Plume Albuquerque, New Mexico 87113 (505) 798-7841

However, if no request for a public hearing is received by Monday, December 7, 2015 or should we determine there is not a significant degree of public interest in the draft permit, the hearing will be cancelled. If the hearing is cancelled, notification of such cancellation will be posted on the EPA website by Wednesday, December 9, 2015.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me or Jeff Robinson at (214) 665-6435.

Sincerely,

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Wren Stenger Director Multimedia Division

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