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Elimination of the Chupadera Mesa and Los Alamos County Industrial Waste Line Sites from Further Consideration for FUSRAP Inclusion

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The enclosed material is being provided to you to document the final actions taken under the Department's Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program (FUSRAP) for the Chupadera Mesa area and the Los Alamos County Industrial Waste Lines, New Mexico. Copies of designation/ elimination reviews for each of the sites are enclosed for your records. We have determined that neither site warrants inclusion in the remedial action program. Primary sources of data for this determination were two survey reports prepared through your Division, LA-10256-MS, "Radiological Survey and Evaluation of the Fallout Area from the Trinity Test," and DOE/EV-0005/14, "FUSRAP - Removal of a Contaminated Industrial Waste Line, Los Alamos, New Mexico."

The Chupadera Mesa and Near-by Areas were eliminated from the program because the radiological data collected by Los Alamos National Laboratory indicates DOE guidelines for remedial action are not exceeded in the areas. The review of the Los Alamos County Industrial Waste Line site indicates that Albuquerque Operations Office has the authority for the remedial action in these areas and, through the Los Alamos Area Office, is adequately carrying out all necessary actions. Therefore, the site is being eliminated from further consideration under FUSRAP.

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