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Mr. Patrick M. Steenburg
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RE: FILE NO. 4597

Dear Mr. Steenburg:

Reference is made to your July 25, 1994, letter transmitting Mr. Steven S. Dunn, P.E., experience record with regard to his qualifications as the registered professional engineer to supervise construction of the Middle Mesa Evaporation Pond Project.

We have reviewed Mr. Dunn's qualifications and find them acceptable. It is hereby ordered, pursuant to Section 72-5-9, NMSA 1978, that the construction of Middle Mesa Evaporation Pond be under the supervision of Mr. Steven S. Dunn, P.E., (the word "supervision" should be considered in the same context as the words "responsible charge" which appear in Section 61-23-3F., NMSA 1978, of the Engineering and Surveying Practice Act) (copy attached), subject to the following conditions:

1. Construction shall be in accordance with approved plans and specifications. Any modification of the approved plans and specifications or design changes must be approved in writing by the State Engineer prior to undertaking such modifications.
2. The State Engineer shall be given a minimum of 72 hours notice to enable the State Engineer staff to inspect the completed dam.

In accordance with the State Engineer Office Order No. 140 dated June 10, 1987, appropriate fees will be charged for state engineer personnel inspection.

3. Upon completion of construction, Mr. Steven Dunn shall submit to the State Engineer:

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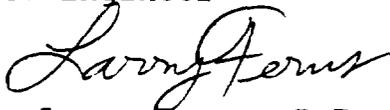
- a. a completion report which shall include description of problems encountered and their solution; summary of materials test data and construction photographs;
- b. as-built mylar drawings (if there are changes from the original drawings); and
- c. certification that the basin as constructed is safe for the intended use.

Please let me know if further discussion is necessary.

Sincerely,

Eluid L. Martinez
State Engineer

By:



Larry Ferns, P.E., Chief
Design & Construction Section

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Enclosure