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RE: NERT Response to NDEP December 22, 2016 Response to: *Identification of COPCs and Exposure Units for Soils, Nevada Environmental Response Trust, Henderson, Nevada*, dated August 26, 2016
Nevada Environmental Response Trust
Henderson, Nevada

Dear Mr. Dong:

The Nevada Environmental Response Trust (NERT) has reviewed the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection's (NDEP) December 22, 2016 Response to the above-reference document, in which NDEP requested a revised Deliverable date of February 22, 2017. As explained below, NERT is requesting an extension for submitting revision 1 of *Identification of COPCs and Exposure Units for Soils* (the COPC/EU report).

At our December 19, 2016 meeting with NDEP regarding the Identification of COPCs and Exposure Units for soils, it was agreed that the Operations Area would be evaluated as potentially one decision unit and that additional statistical analysis would be conducted to determine if there were any subareas of concern. Additional time is needed to conduct this analysis and evaluate soil gas and groundwater data to ensure it is consistent with this approach. NERT is proposing that a webinar be conducted this summer (likely at the end of June 2017) for Ramboll Environ to present the initial results of this analysis. Assuming NDEP is in agreement with the proposed approach, the report would then be prepared. It is anticipated the final report would be submitted to NDEP on or before November 15, 2017.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, feel to contact me at (702) 960-4309 or at steve.clough@nert-trust.com.

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