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MEMORANDUM

TO: Calibration Customers of New Mexico State Metrology Laboratory

FROM: Tim Darden, Laboratory Division Director

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tim Darden", written over a horizontal line.

SUBJECT: Reopening of the State Metrology Laboratory & Updates to Calibration Services

We are pleased to announce the official reopening of the New Mexico Department of Agriculture (NMDA) Metrology Laboratory. With our new facility and dedicated employees, we are ready to meet your calibration needs for mass and volume, providing the same reliable service you've always expected.

The NMDA Metrology Laboratory maintains traceability to the International System of Units (SI) through the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) and is currently in the process of obtaining accreditation to the ISO/IEC 17025:2017 standard.

Please be advised of the following important updates to our calibration service procedures:

- Appointments are recommended: Scheduled items that arrive at the laboratory for calibration will be completed before items that arrive unscheduled.
- Customer Contact Request (MET-04): A completed Customer Contact Request Form (MET-04) requested for all initial submissions (this is to ensure all contact and billing information remains current). The form is available at:
<https://nmdeptag.nmsu.edu/media/pdf/Metrology-Customer-Contact-Request-MET-04.pdf>

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We look forward to serving you and appreciate your cooperation as we implement these updates. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.