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**Request for Extension for Temporary Closure
 of Storage Tank Systems
 (20.5.115.1501 NMAC)**

This form may be used by owners and operators of storage tank systems regulated under 20.5 NMAC to request an extension for keeping their storage tank systems in temporary closure. Also, owners and operators of storage tank systems that are out of compliance with the requirements for new or existing storage tank systems may use this form to apply for an extension of the 12 months in temporary closure. Please complete this form and submit it along with the required documentation to the address above.

1. Facility Information

Facility Name:		Facility ID:	
Address:		City:	Zip Code:
Contact Name:	Contact Email:		
Phone Number:			

2. Owner Information

Owner Name:		Owner ID:	
Address:		City:	
State:	Zip Code:	Contact Name:	
Contact Email:		Phone Number:	

3. Tank Information

Tank ID	Tank Type	Tank Capacity	Contents	Date Placed into Temporary Closure	Level of Regulated Substance in Tank

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4. Temporary Closure Requirements

Owners and operators must meet all of the following requirements prior to applying for an extension.

- A. Empty the tank and purge the piping of regulated substances so that the tank contains one inch or less or the system contains 0.3 percent by weight or less of the total capacity of the storage tank system of a regulated substance.
- B. Perform a site assessment in accordance with 20.5.115.1504 NMAC. (Attach a copy of the laboratory analysis of the soil samples to this request.) If you are requesting to use an alternate method of meeting the requirement for a site assessment, please add a complete description in the comment field on the next page.
- C. Pay all annual tank fees and all accrued late fees for all tanks they own or operate in accordance with 20.5.103 NMAC.
- D. Meet financial responsibility requirements in 20.5.117 NMAC. (Attach a copy of the mechanism used to meet this requirement to this request.)

Owners and Operators of storage tank systems that do not meet the requirements in #4 above shall ensure the storage tank systems are permanently closed pursuant to 20.5.115.1502 NMAC.

Comments: (Comment area will expand to fit text)

5. Signature

Owner or Authorized Representative Name (Print)

Owner or Authorized Representative Title (Print)

Owner or Authorized Representative's Signature

Date

NMED Use Only:

Date Received: _____

Received by (Print Name): _____

