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RE: Appeal 05-03-10-0008-A251, Annual Operating Instructions, Mesa Poleo Allotment,
Coyote Ranger District, Santa Fe National Forest

Dear Mr. Martinez:

The purpose of this letter is to notify you I have received Forest Supervisor Zepeda's decision dismissing your above referenced appeal because your appeal was not filed within the time periods specified in 36 CFR 251.88.

In accordance with 36 CFR 251.87(d) I am not going to exercise my discretion to review Supervisor Zepeda's decision.

Sincerely,

/s/ Lucia M. Turner
LUCIA M. TURNER
Appeal Reviewing Officer, Deputy Regional
Forester

cc: David M Stewart, Barry Imler, Constance J Smith, Mailroom R3 Santa Fe

