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Dear Mr. Cullen:

We wish to inform you that Moody's Investors Service has assigned a rating of Aa2 with a stable outlook to University of New Mexico's Subordinate Lien System Refunding and Improvement Revenue Bonds, Tax-Exempt Series 2016A and Taxable Series 2016B to be issued by the Board of Regents of the University of New Mexico.

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Should you have any questions regarding the above, please do not hesitate to contact the analyst assigned to this transaction, Eva Bogaty at 415-274-1765.

Sincerely,

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