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Mr. Dan Mayfield  
Deputy County Manager for Finance  
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Dear Mr. Mayfield:

Fitch Ratings has assigned one or more ratings and/or otherwise taken rating action(s), as detailed on the attached Notice of Rating Action.

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Sincerely,



Steve M. Murray  
Senior Director  
U.S. Public Finance

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## Notice of Rating Action

<u>Bond Description</u>	<u>Rating Type</u>	<u>Action</u>	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Outlook/ Watch</u>	<u>Eff Date</u>	<u>Notes</u>
Bernalillo County (NM) GO bonds ser 2007	Long Term	New Rating	AA+	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	
Bernalillo County (NM) GO bonds	Long Term	Affirmed	AA+	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	
Bernalillo County (NM) GO bonds ser 2004	Long Term	Affirmed	AA+	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	
Bernalillo County (NM) GO bonds ser 2006	Long Term	Affirmed	AA+	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	
Bernalillo County (NM) GO rfdg bonds ser 2005	Long Term	Affirmed	AA+	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	
Bernalillo County (NM) gross receipts tax rev bonds ser 1996	Long Term	Affirmed	AA	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	
Bernalillo County (NM) gross receipts tax rev bonds ser 1996B (insured: MBIA Insurance Corp.)	Long Term	Affirmed	AA	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	1
Bernalillo County (NM) gross receipts tax rev bonds ser 1997	Long Term	Affirmed	AA	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	
Bernalillo County (NM) gross receipts tax rev bonds ser 1998	Long Term	Affirmed	AA	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	
Bernalillo County (NM) gross receipts tax rev bonds ser 1998 (insured: MBIA Insurance Corp.)	Long Term	Affirmed	AA	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	1
Bernalillo County (NM) gross receipts tax rev bonds ser 1999	Long Term	Affirmed	AA	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	
Bernalillo County (NM) gross receipts tax rev bonds ser 2002	Long Term	Affirmed	AA	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	
Bernalillo County (NM) gross receipts tax rev bonds ser 2004 (insured: Ambac Assurance Corp.)	Long Term	Affirmed	AA	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	1
Bernalillo County (NM) gross receipts tax rev rfdg bonds ser 2005 (insured: Ambac Assurance Corp.)	Long Term	Affirmed	AA	RO:Sta	10-Aug-2007	1

Key: RO: Rating Outlook, RW: Rating Watch; Pos: Positive, Neg: Negative, Sta: Stable, Evo: Evolving

### Notes

- 1 The rating is an underlying rating, given without consideration of credit enhancement.