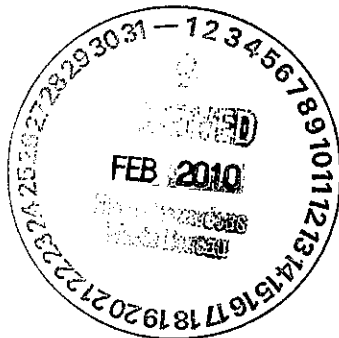




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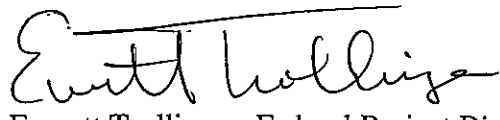
Enclosed please find two hard copies with electronic files of the work plan for well R-56 for review by the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED). This work plan is being submitted in accordance with the Order on Consent (IV.A.3.e).

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Sincerely,

  
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