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From:	Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Sent:	Monday, May 23, 2011 11:03 AM
To:	'Michael Stubblefield'; dpotter@linnenergy.com; 'Daniel Frick'
Cc:	tgregston@blm.gov.
Subject:	RE: Linn-Turner B104

Reference: Linn Energy * Turner B 104 * 30-015-26696 * N-17-17s-31e * Eddy County, New Mexico Date of Release: 9/17/2010 * NMOCD Tracking: <u>2RP-571</u>

Mr. Stubblefield,

The remediation proposal dated March 16, 2011, submitted to OCD May 18, 2011, is approved. This submittal is a revision of the proposal dated January 13, 2011. For clarification, the Form C-141 and related submittals, list this well site in Section 20. OCD database shows the well site in Section 17 (160' FSL & 1370 FWL). This approval is subject to the following conditions and/or stipulations:

- Notify the OCD District 2 Office 48 hours prior to commencement of operations.
- Notify the OCD District 2 Office 48 hours prior to obtaining samples where the analyses will be submitted to OCD.
- Adherence to BLM Conditions of Approval as outlined in BLM correspondence dated May 19, 2011.
- OCD is to be provided all data, correspondence and notifications related to this release as may be provided to any other regulatory authority/agency.
- The extent of chloride contamination has not been defined at sample location "S-1". Delineation will be required prior to closure approval.
- Samples are to be obtained, for lab analysis, from the bio-remediation area, at 60 day intervals. If closure levels have not been achieved after the 160 day sampling event, an alternative closure proposal will be required. The 160 day sample event is to be performed not later than December 10, 2011.
- Submit a Final Report Form C-141 and closure report to OCD upon satisfactory completion of remedial project.

OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions or concerns, and, for notification, contact me.

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From: Michael Stubblefield [mailto:mstubblefield@talonlpe.com]
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Dear Mr. Mike Bratcher,

Talon/LPE is submitting the work plan for the correction of the release at the Linn Operating Turner B No. 104. A hard copy will also be submitted to the NMOCD for approval.

Sincerely,

Mike Stubblefield Talon/LPE Project Manager

From: David Adkins Sent: Monday, May 16, 2011 10:33 AM To: Michael Stubblefield Subject: Linn-Turner B104

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