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See attached. Hardcopy is in the mail.

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**RE: Groundwater Monitoring Wells Associated with Former "Trucker's #2" Brine Well (BW-18, API 30-025-07551). Unit Letter K of Section 33, Township 18 South, Range 38 East NMPM in Hobbs, New Mexico**

Dan,

I have reviewed Key's request to abandon three groundwater monitoring wells (MWs-1, -2, and -3) located in the vicinity of the former brine facility in Hobbs. Proceed with the proper plugging of these wells in accordance with requirements of the NM Office of the State Engineer. Once this is accomplished, please forward a comprehensive report of the plugging activities to my attention.

Respectfully,

**Jim Griswold**  
*Environmental Bureau Chief*