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CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

February 22, 2007

Jim Lieb
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**SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF EXTENSION REQUEST FOR THE OIL
CONSERVATION DIVISION 2005 ANNUAL GROUNDWATER REPORT
GIANT REFINING COMPANY, CINIZA REFINERY
EPA ID # NMD000333211; HWB-GRCC-06-003**

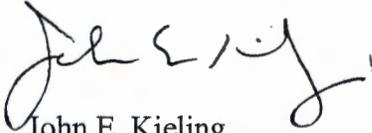
Dear Mr. Lieb:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of Giant Refining Company's (Permittee) letter titled *Request for Extension for Submittal of Revised 2005 Annual Groundwater Report* dated February 20, 2007. This letter is the Permittee's second extension request to the original due date of January 15, 2007. NMED hereby approves this second extension for the submittal of the revised Oil Conservation Division 2005 Annual Groundwater Report. This Report must be submitted to NMED on or before March 15, 2007.

Jim Lieb
Giant Refining Company, Ciniza Refinery
February 22, 2007
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Please contact Hope Monzeglio of my staff at 505-476-6045 if you have questions regarding this letter.

Sincerely,



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