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RE: Revision No. 3
Vegetation Test Plots
ACT/007/012

Dear Mr. Braxton:

The following is a revised work schedule for the vegetation test plots, per your request.

<u>Course Refuse Area</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Finish Date</u>
1. Ripping	09/01/85	09/30/85
2. Gouging	10/15/85	11/07/85
3. Fertilization	10/15/85	11/07/85
4. Seeding	10/15/85	11/07/85
5. Containerized Stocking		04/30/86
6. Mulching	10/15/85	11/07/85
7. Fencing	11/15/85	12/15/85
8. Coarse Slurry Coverage	09/01/85	09/30/85
9. Topsoiling	09/15/85	10/07/85
10. Irrigation	04/01/86	04/30/86
11. Organic Amendments	10/15/85	11/07/85

Course Slurry Area

1. Gouging	10/15/85	11/07/85
2. Fertilization	10/15/85	11/07/85
3. Ripping	09/01/85	09/30/85
4. Seeding	10/15/85	11/07/85
5. Containerized Plantings		04/30/86
6. Mulching	10/15/85	11/07/85
7. Fencing	11/15/85	12/15/85
8. Irrigation	04/01/86	04/30/86
9. Topsoiling	09/15/85	10/07/85
10. Organic Amendments	10/15/85	11/07/85

Slurry Pond Area

1. Natural Leaching	Not Applicable	
2. Ripping	09/01/85	09/30/85
3. Fertilization	10/15/85	11/07/85
4. Calcium Sulfate	10/15/85	11/07/85
5. Gouging	10/15/85	11/07/85
6. Seeding	10/15/85	11/07/85
7. Containerized Planting		04/30/86
8. Mulching	10/15/85	11/07/85
9. Fencing	11/15/85	12/15/85
10. Coarse Slurry Coverage	09/01/85	09/30/85
11. Irrigation	04/01/86	04/30/86
12. Topsoiling	09/15/85	10/07/85
13. Organic Amendment	10/15/85	11/07/85

Surface Facility Test Plot

1. Containerized Planting	04/85
2. Set-Up Irrigation System	04/85

This letter should be inserted in Appendix I of the Determination of Completeness Response. Eight copies are attached for your use.

If you have any questions, please contact V. R. Watts at telephone number 303-527-4816.

Sincerely,



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