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DIV OF OIL, GAS, & MINING

Dear Mr. Baza,

We have received the formal proposed amendment to the Utah Coal Program, Utah House Bill 399. The amendment contains language proposing to require a plaintiff requesting a preliminary injunction or an administrative stay to post a bond in a case dealing with an environmental action.

We will process the amendment under Amendment Tracking System (SATS) number UT-048-FOR.

Our processing of UT-048-FOR has already begun. Please contact Flynn Dickinson at (303) 293-5013, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Kenneth Walker, Chief
Denver Field Division