



# United States Department of the Interior

IN REPLY REFER TO

1123/3500  
(U-062)

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
Moab District  
Price River Resource Area  
P. O. Drawer AB  
Price, Utah 84501

0001

January 9, 1976

Dear Interested Party:

Kanawha and Hocking Coal and Coke Company, a West Virginia corporation and a wholly owned subsidiary of Valley Camp Coal Company, has applied for a competitive lease sale of 160 acres of federal coal land under the Secretary of the Interior's short-term coal leasing criteria. The legal description of the land is as follows:

T. 13 S., R. 7 E., SLM, Utah  
Sec. 9: S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$

The land is located in the northern part of the Wasatch Plateau Known Coal Leasing Area (KCLA), and is south of the town of Scofield. The surface is in private ownership. The tracts are proposed to be mined through Valley Camp's Utah #2 mine. The mining is underground and no new surface facilities are planned. The tracts applied for represent, to the nearest legal subdivision, those coal lands between Kanawha & Hocking Co.'s private holdings and the Scofield Fault, up to 1,000 feet farther east.

The Bureau of Land Management has prepared an Environmental Analysis Report, in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. A Technical Examination has also been prepared. These documents, and further details on Kanawha & Hocking's competitive lease sale application, are available in the Price Area Office, P. O. Drawer AB, 900 North 700 East, Price.

Please send any written comments by January 30, 1976.

Sincerely yours,

*Leon E. Berger*  
Resource Area Manager



Save Energy and You Serve America!