

# VALLEY CAMP OF UTAH, INC.

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DIVISION OF  
 OIL, GAS & MINING

Mr. Roger Frenette  
 Enforcement Division  
 Environmental Protection Agency  
 Region VIII  
 1860 Lincoln Street  
 Denver, Colorado 80295

RE: N.P.D.E.S. Discharge Permit  
 # UT-0022985 - 4th Quarter  
 Report 1980

Dear Mr. Frenette:

Please find enclosed, a copy of the 4th Quarter "Discharge Monitoring Report" for the Belina Mine.

Please consider this letter as fulfillment of the required notification procedures, as specified in the permit and, also, in Section 717.17 (b) (V) of the Interim Regulations of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act.

Since we have pending approval to revise our TSS limitations upward to those applicable prior to July 1, 1980, I have not offered an explanation for exceeding the TSS parameters. If such an approval is given, the 12.5 average for TSS would not then be in violation of permit parameters.

According to your certified correspondence of December 19, 1980, the allotted time for public comments terminated as of this date. Considering the fact that I have not been informed of any comments or activity which would jeopardize final approval of permit modifications as requested November 4, 1980, I am assuming, unless otherwise notified, no further explanation will be required regarding the enclosed report.

For your information, the construction mentioned in my November 4, 1980, letter has not taken place as planned. Consequently, no modification of the ponds, other than replacing the filter media has occurred. All such modifications must be approved by the Office of Surface Mining and the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, prior to initiating such improvements.

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Mr. Roger Frene :  
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I will inform you when such approvals are received.  
If further information is required, please call me.

Sincerely,



Trevor G. Whiteside  
Senior Mining Engineer

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Enclosure

Copy to: James W. Smith, Jr., DOGM, w/o encl. ✓  
Utah Division of Health, w/encl.