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DIVISION OF
OIL, GAS & MINING

Re: United States Fuel Company,
Hiawatha Complex, ACT/007/001,
Carbon County, Utah

My letter of August 29, 1986 addressed to the Director of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining of the State of Utah requested a 45 day extension within which to review the bond requirement, consider alternatives and otherwise attempt to comply with the Division's letter of August 5, 1986. By telephone on September 10th, Lowell Braxton, the Administrator of the Reclamation Program for the Division, advised that the 45 day extension had been granted.

I have also confirmed with him today a proposed meeting between you and other personnel of U.S. Fuel that you desire to be present, together with myself and Mr. Braxton and either the Director or Associate Director and other staff members of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining. That meeting is scheduled for 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, September 23, 1986.

Very truly yours,


O. W. Gushee, Jr.

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cc: Mr. Lowell Braxton, Administrator
Mineral Resource Development & Reclamation Program
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining