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James M. Carter
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UTAH DIVISION OF OIL, GAS & MINING
3 Triad Center, Suite 350
Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203RE: Belina Mine Complex Notice of Violation No. 94-39-2-1 ("NOV");
Request for Extension of Time to Abate; Informal Conference

Dear Jim:

This letter confirms our discussions of Friday, April 15, 1994, and Wednesday, April 19, 1994, regarding your agreement to grant White Oak Mining & Construction Company, Inc. ("White Oak"), a thirty-day extension of time to abate the above-entitled NOV. When we spoke yesterday concerning this matter, you indicated that paperwork confirming the extension was forthcoming. There seems to be some confusion regarding extension of the abatement period with respect to violation 1 of 1 (c) which required White Oak to install interim sediment control by April 15, 1994. Steve Demczak contacted Steve Tanner today to confirm an extension of only one week regarding this portion of the violation. This communication is inconsistent with our agreement that the entire NOV would be extended for a thirty-day period. ———

Joe Helfrich and I have reviewed this matter. An informal conference has been scheduled on this NOV for Monday, April 25, 1994 at 10:00 a.m. If the NOV is upheld, White Oak would appreciate clarification of the abatement deadline for parts (a,) (b) and (c) of the NOV.

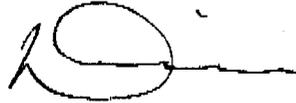
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Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Very truly yours,



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