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November 6, 2001

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Dave Miller, Resident Agent Lodestar Energy, Inc H.C.35 Box 370 Helper, Utah 84527

Re: Preblast Survey Required, Lodestar Energy, Inc., White Oak Mine, C/007/001, Outgoing File

Dear Mr. Miller:

As allowed by R645-301-524.300, the owner of a structure within one-half mile of any part of the permit area may request a preblasting survey. On October 18, 2001, the Division received a request, made by Questar Pipeline Company, for a preblast survey of their pipeline facilities near the White Oak Mine Complex (see attached letter).

In accordance with the above regulations, Lodestar Energy Inc. must promptly conduct a preblasting survey of the natural gas pipelines owned and operated by Questar and prepare a written report of the survey. The written report will be signed by the person who conducted the survey and copies of the report must be promptly provided to the Division and to Questar. If Questar disagrees with the contents and/or recommendations contained in the report they may submit to both Lodestar and the Division a detailed description of the specific areas of disagreement. All surveys will need to be conducted and any disagreement will need to be resolved prior to conducting blasting at the White Oak Complex.

Please call me (801-538-5306) or Daron R. Haddock (801-538-5325) if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Associate Director, Mining

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David A. Ingleby, Questar
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Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 1594 West North Temple Suite 1210

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Re: Lodestar Energy, Inc. - Permit C/007/001

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Questar Pipeline Company is in receipt of a letter from Lodestar Energy, Inc. dated September 21, 2001 advising of blasting which will occur near natural gas pipelines owned and operated by Questar. As outlined in the September 21, 2001 letter, Questar Pipeline requests a pre-blast survey be held to discuss the proposal. Please contact me at (801) 324-3151 to schedule the meeting.

Sincerely

David A. Ingleby

CC: Lodestar Energy, Inc.
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