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Mr. Jackson Moffitt  
District Mining Supervisor  
Minerals Management Supervisor  
2040 Administration Building  
1745 West 1700 South  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84104

RE: Proposed Coal Exploration Program  
Sunedco Coal Company  
Carbon County, Utah  
CEP/007/002

Dear Mr. Moffitt:

The Division has reviewed Sunedco Coal Company's proposed coal exploration plan for Carbon County, Utah which was received by this office June 14, 1982. The plan under consideration has satisfied the State's concerns under requirements of Parts 776 and 815 of the regulations promulgated under the 1979 Act, "Regulation of Coal Mining and Reclamation Operations", Title 40-10-1 et seq, Utah Code Annotated, 1953, except for the following areas:

The main concern of the Division is the storage of material removed from the portals. It should be stored, even for the short duration involved, in such a manner as to assure no degradation to any nearby stream.

Please incorporate these concerns into your review and forward the requested information or have the company send it directly to our office.

Provided that these points have been adequately satisfied for the Division, I see no reason not to approve the plan. In reply, please refer to CEP/007/002.

Sincerely,

*Carol Young*  
for THOMAS N. TETTING  
ENGINEERING GEOLOGIST

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