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Mr. Graham Matheson
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Dear Mr. Matheson:

Thank you for your telephone call of November 4th 1977, relative to the work which your company is doing on the Braztah Corporation refuse disposal area in Carbon County, Utah.

You will recall that during that conversation, I mentioned a letter which had been sent to Braztah requesting that they maintain communication with this Division during the site selection and design stages of the refuse disposal facility. Actually, no such letter exists, but the communication with Bra tah in this regard transpired during a meeting with Ken Hutchinson, Garth Condie, Brian Buck and myself on September 21st 1977. Enclosed is a copy of the Division's memo in this regard which was prepared by Brian Buck.

The information you provided during our telephone conversation on the possible prohibition of the siting of refuse facilities as head of hollow or valley fills has given us something to look for in the permanent regulations under the Surface Mining and Control Reclamation Act of 1977. We will communicate with you when we are better informed on this subject.

Meanwhile, any information which you can provide to us on the new refuse facility including a possible cooperative field examination would be most helpful. Please contact myself or Brian Buck if you have any informational needs.

Sincerely,

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING

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Enclosures

cc: Ken Hutchinson