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April 17, 1981

Mr. John Nadolski, Hydrologist
U. S. Department of the Interior
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RE: Approval Recommendation
for Ephemeral Stream
Crossing
Crandall Canyon
Properties
ACT/007/004
Carbon County, Utah

Dear John:

Enclosed is a copy of the materials submitted by Price River Coal Company in response to the Division's letter dated April 8, 1981, requesting additional information concerning use of an ephemeral stream crossing.

Based upon the review of said information, the Division feels the company has adequately addressed the concerns questioned.

After talking with you on the phone (April 15, 1981) and receiving your concurrence, the Division has given verbal approval to PRC Company, due to the short time circumstances involved for their reseeding schedule, and will send written approval upon receipt of your formal written response.

If you have any comments or questions, feel free to call me.

Sincerely,

D. WAYNE HEDBERG
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cc: Robert Wiley, PRC
James W. Smith, DOGM

Enclosure

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