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Mr. Robert L. Wiley
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RE: Division Review of Proposed
Diversion Around Utah Fuel #1
ACT/007/004
Carbon County, Utah

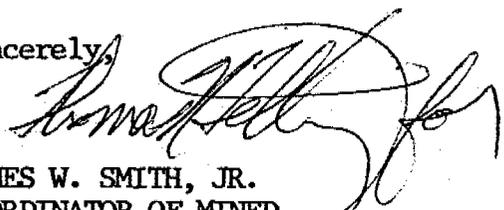
Dear Mr. Wiley:

Your letter of August 30 regarding the installation of a diversion around Utah Fuel #1 has been received and reviewed by the Division.

This diversion has been designated temporary as per a September 22 phone conversation between you, Joe Lyons and Lynn Kunzler of the Division. Under this designation, the diversion is adequately designed and the proposed seed mix is appropriate. At the end of the service life of the diversion, the steps necessary to assure permanent reclamation success standards (UMC 817.43[e]) must be undertaken. Due to the minor significance of this modification, reclamation bonding for this diversion should be covered by the general bond for the PRCC permit area.

Division approval for construction and maintenance of this diversion is hereby granted. As a final point, the Division suggests that Price River Coal Company contact the State of Utah, Department of Transportation in regards to this new drainage strategy.

Sincerely,



JAMES W. SMITH, JR.
COORDINATOR OF MINED
LAND DEVELOPMENT

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