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Mr. Richard H. Allison, Jr. P.E.
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Dear Mr. Allison:

Re: Schedule for Completion of Stipulation Under Docket No. 91-001, AMAX Coal Company, Castle Gate Mine, ACT/007/004, Folder #2, Carbon County, Utah

This letter is being written to keep you posted on the Division's schedule for completing reviews of information AMAX was required to provide by stipulation under Docket No. 91-001.

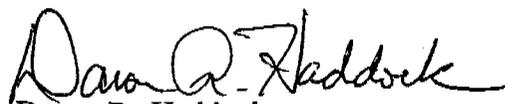
As you are aware both the Hardscrabble Canyon and Sowbelly Canyon areas have been completed. Remaining items are as follows:

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| Castle Gate Area | DOGM to complete review by 3/12/93. |
| Adit #1 and Gravel Canyon | DOGM to complete review by 3/12/93. |
| Crandall Canyon, & Remaining Areas | DOGM doing initial review to be completed by 3/3/93. AMAX to respond 30 days thereafter. |
| Revegetation Plan | AMAX to complete reference area maps and submit by 3/31/93. |
| Sediment Pond Designs | DOGM to complete review by 3/12/93. |

The ball appears to be in our court on most items, however you should note that information on your revegetation plan is still outstanding. A great deal of progress has been made in completing the Division Order and we are hopeful that with your continued cooperation it will soon be completely resolved.

Thank you for your help, and please call if you have any question.

Sincerely,


Daron R. Haddock
Permit Supervisor

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