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June 25, 1981

Mr. Allon C. Owen
Hydrologist
Coastal States Energy Co.
411 West 7200 South
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Re: Notice of Intention to
Commence Coal Exploration
Skyline Project
Carbon & Emery Counties, Utah
CEP/007/005 and CEP/015/005

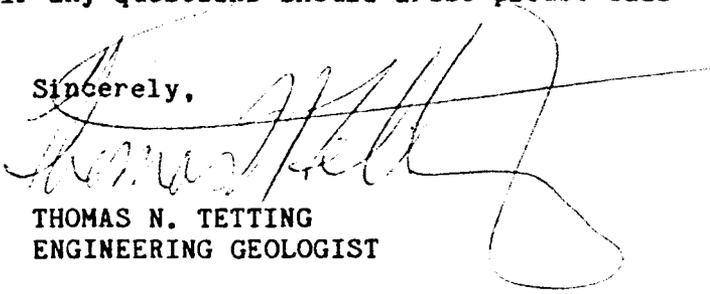
Dear Mr. Owen:

Thank you for your June 5, 1981 letter regarding Coastal States Energy Company's proposed coal exploration operations in Carbon and Emery Counties, Utah. The plan meets the 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. The Division hereby issues approval for the exploration operations as described in the exploration plans.

The Division requires no additional information at the present time. Upon completion of the exploration operations the Division will require notification of completion and a description of the plugging and reclamation activities which have taken place for each site.

Thank you for your cooperation. If any questions should arise please call me.

Sincerely,


THOMAS N. TETTING
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