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DIVISION OF  
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Dear Dr. <sup>Dianne</sup>Nielson:

Re: Five-Year Permit Renewal Review, Utah Fuel Company's Skyline Mine

Submitted herewith is the first portion of Utah Fuel Company's response to the Division's comprehensive M&RP renewal review dated May 25, 1988. This portion of the response meets the schedule outlined in the Division's correspondence of August 10, 1988. Instructions are attached for incorporating the pages of this document into the 1986 M&RP renewal application.

As requested by Mr. Lowell Braxton, three copies of the response are attached. Should a preliminary review of this submittal by your staff identify the need for additional information, please provide sufficient notice to have this done with the December 1, 1988 submittal.

A revised water quality monitoring program as recommended by your staff and others has been incorporated into this document. A prompt approval of this part of the program, as discussed with your staff, would result in a considerable savings of time and money.

The engineering calculations applicable to this submittal have been included. We recognize that this section has been expanded to a point where it is becoming inconvenient to review. The December 1, 1988 submittal will include a separate indexed volume and, for clarity, will contain copies of a complete set of these calculations.

We appreciate the assistance and cooperation of your staff in the preparation of this response.

Sincerely yours,

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