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Dear Mr. <sup>Daron</sup>Haddock:

In your conditional approval for our temporary coal stockpile amendment there were listed two deficiencies, and we are answering those deficiencies with this letter.

**Deficiency - LK** - The operator needs to either indicate (and reference) that the approved interim revegetation plan will be followed or provide an acceptable interim revegetation plan for this area.

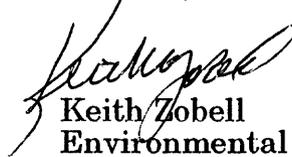
Response: Page 3-22a will be changed to indicate that we will use seed mixtures and transplants approved in our M&RP.

**Deficiency - PB** - Verify how much topsoil or soil material will be replaced, and from where.

Response: It is almost impossible to determine the depth of soil that the steep slope will retain. Our goal is to put on a minimum of six inches in the depression and on the ledges that we can. We recognize that much of the slope now has very little if any soil, and we will not be able to improve that situation due to the steepness of the slope. The soil material that will be used is excess material that will be left over from excavation of the reclaim tunnel for our new stacking/reclaim facility. None of this material is classified as "Topsoil."

If you need any additional information please contact us.

Sincerely,

  
Keith Zobel  
Environmental Engineer

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