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Ken Payne, Manager
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Re: Deficient ASCA/Exempt Area Amendment, Utah Fuel Company, Skyline Mine, ACT/007/005-94H, Folder #3, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Payne:

The Division has completed a review of your proposed amendment for ASCA/Exempt areas dated June 21, 1995. While a large portion of the amendment is acceptable, it cannot be approved because the demonstrations for small area exemptions from sediment control are not complete. In particular, information for areas 1, 24a, 31, and 32 is inadequate. The curve numbers used, were taken from the SCS Soil Survey of Carbon Area, Utah. These curve numbers are derived for areas that are undisturbed, however, the sediment analyses are being run on areas that have been disturbed. These disturbances, through changes in soil structure, type and makeup of vegetation, most likely have changed the curve numbers in this area. Utah Fuel Company must use available data to derive a more accurate curve number for these areas.

Information provided for areas 5, 6, 12a, 14, 18, 20, 21, 22, and 24 is considered acceptable as is. In order for us to give further consideration to your proposed amendment, please provide the necessary demonstration for areas 1, 24a, 31 and 32 by no later than July 21, 1995.

If you have any questions, please call Steve Johnson.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Daron R. Haddock".

Daron R. Haddock
Permit Supervisor

cc: S. Johnson
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