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Ken Payne, Manager  
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Re: Administrative Completeness Review, North Lease (Winter Quarters), Coastal States Energy Company, Skyline Mine, ACT/007/005-96-1, Folder #3, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Payne:

The Division has completed an initial review of Coastal's application for permitting the North Lease. There are some deficiencies in your application and it cannot be determined administratively complete. In order for us to further process your application, additional information will need to be provided. Following is a list of issues that will need to be addressed:

- The application must contain maps as described under R645-301-411.140 and a supporting narrative which describes the nature of cultural and historic resources listed or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places and known archeological sites within the permit and adjacent area.
- Property descriptions in Section 1.6 do not match with boundaries shown on maps. Maps do not show the loadout area, the breakout area, or the waste rock site.
- Lease descriptions in Section 1.14 do not match those in Section 1.6 or the boundaries shown on the maps.
- There is no narrative describing the North Lease, its opening, or operation.



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- There is no resource survey or subsidence monitoring plan for the North Lease.
- While there is a water monitoring well in the North Lease, there is no piezometric surface information. The potentiometric surface map does not extend into the North Lease.
- There is not adequate hydrologic baseline information. Only one stream sample (one season) and two seasons of samples (one year) for three springs, and one season for six springs. Generally two years of baseline are needed.

Further processing of the application will be curtailed until the above items have been adequately addressed. We look forward to receiving your response. Please call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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