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Mr. Steve Demczak
Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
C/O College of Eastern Utah
451 East 400 North
Price, Utah 84501

Dear Mr. Demczak:

Skyline Mines is requesting an extension to abate the Notice of Violation (#97-39-5-1) received for a failure to seek approval for a slurry system. Skyline had received a previous extension allowing abatement up until September 15, 1997. Skyline is requesting to extend the abatement process until October 24, 1997. The extension will allow Skyline to: 1). obtain MSHA's response concerning the slurry system (see attached letter); and 2.) compile information obtained during the Informal Conference to prepare for a future submittal to DOGM.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions, please call Dan Ferriter at (801) 636-2669.

Sincerely,

Dan Meadors FOR DAN MEADORS 9/11/97

General Manager

Attachment