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May 13, 1999

Dan Meadors, General Manager
Canyon Fuel Company, LLC
P.O. Box 719
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Re: Waste Rock Site Temporary Diversion, Canyon Fuel Company, LLC, Skyline Mine,
ACT/007/005-99B, File #2, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Meadors:

The referenced amendment is approved effective May 13, 1999. A stamped approved incorporated copy is enclosed for insertion in your MRP. The technical analysis prepared by Steve Demczak is provided for your records.

Technical Analysis:

OPERATION PLAN

PERMIT CONDITIONS

Regulatory Reference: R645-301-742.323, R645-301-742.324

Analysis:

The permittee has submitted certified designs for the temporary channel diversion to equal the capacity of the unmodified stream channel immediately upstream and downstream from the diversion.

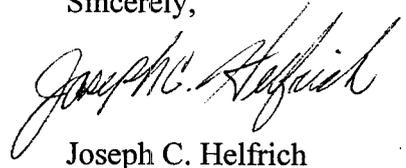
Findings:

The requirements of this section of the regulations are considered adequate in regard to the proposed permit change to install a temporary diversion at the waste rock site.

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If you have any questions, please call.

Sincerely,



Joseph C. Helfrich
Permit Supervisor

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Enclosure

- cc: Gary Taylor
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