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Canyon Fuel Company, LLC. Skyline Mine

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Ms. Pam Grubaugh-Littig
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Littig
C/007/005
#2875

RE: Reduction of Subsidence Monitoring, Canyon Fuel Company, LLC, Skyline Mine, C/007/005,

Dear Ms. Grubaugh-Littig:

In August 2007 the Division approved a requested reduction in the subsidence monitoring plan at the Skyline Mine. In conjunction with the approval, Mr. Wayne Western requested that Skyline submit an application that modifies the M&RP to reflect the reduction in monitoring.

Please find enclosed with this letter, modifications to the M&RP which include a new section identified as "4.17.9 Reduction of Subsidence Monitoring".

Upon review of the Table of Contents in Volume 3 in the M&RP at both Skyline and at the Public Information Center, there were some errors and missing information in both M&RPs. The M&RP at the PIC was missing several pages and the M&RP at Skyline had some out dated information. Skyline and Dana Dean decided to resubmit the entire Volume 3 Table of Contents to ensure complete synchrony.

The submittal includes completed C1 and C2 forms and eight (8) copies of both clean and redline versions of the text modifications.

If you have any questions, please call me at (435) 448-2636.

Sincerely,

Gregg A. Galecki
Environmental Coordinator, Skyline Mine
Canyon Fuel Company, LLC

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

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Refer to:
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Date *10/26/07* For additional information

APPLICATION FOR COAL PERMIT PROCESSING

Permit Change New Permit Renewal Exploration Bond Release Transfer

Permittee: Canyon Fuel Company, LLC

Mine: Skyline Mine

Permit Number: C/007/005

Title: Reduction of Subsidence Monitoring

Description, Include reason for application and timing required to implement:

Subsidence Monitoring no longer required for specified regions

Instructions: If you answer yes to any of the first eight (gray) questions, this application may require Public Notice publication.

- Yes No 1. Change in the size of the Permit Area? Acres: _____ Disturbed Area: _____ increase decrease.
- Yes No 2. Is the application submitted as a result of a Division Order? DO# _____
- Yes No 3. Does the application include operations outside a previously identified Cumulative Hydrologic Impact Area?
- Yes No 4. Does the application include operations in hydrologic basins other than as currently approved?
- Yes No 5. Does the application result from cancellation, reduction or increase of insurance or reclamation bond?
- Yes No 6. Does the application require or include public notice publication?
- Yes No 7. Does the application require or include ownership, control, right-of-entry, or compliance information?
- Yes No 8. Is proposed activity within 100 feet of a public road or cemetery or 300 feet of an occupied dwelling?
- Yes No 9. Is the application submitted as a result of a Violation? NOV # _____
- Yes No 10. Is the application submitted as a result of other laws or regulations or policies?
Explain: _____
- Yes No 11. Does the application affect the surface landowner or change the post mining land use?
- Yes No 12. Does the application require or include underground design or mine sequence and timing? (Modification of R2P2)
- Yes No 13. Does the application require or include collection and reporting of any baseline information?
- Yes No 14. Could the application have any effect on wildlife or vegetation outside the current disturbed area?
- Yes No 15. Does the application require or include soil removal, storage or placement?
- Yes No 16. Does the application require or include vegetation monitoring, removal or revegetation activities?
- Yes No 17. Does the application require or include construction, modification, or removal of surface facilities?
- Yes No 18. Does the application require or include water monitoring, sediment or drainage control measures?
- Yes No 19. Does the application require or include certified designs, maps or calculation?
- Yes No 20. Does the application require or include subsidence control or monitoring?
- Yes No 21. Have reclamation costs for bonding been provided?
- Yes No 22. Does the application involve a perennial stream, a stream buffer zone or discharges to a stream?
- Yes No 23. Does the application affect permits issued by other agencies or permits issued to other entities?

Please attach four (4) review copies of the application. If the mine is on or adjacent to Forest Service land please submit five (5) copies, thank you. (These numbers include a copy for the Price Field Office)

I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments, undertakings, and obligations, herein.

Wesley K Sorensen
Print Name

Wesley K Sorensen
Sign Name, Position, Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Oct, 2007

General Managers 10/26/07

Kathleen Atwood
Notary Public

My commission Expires: _____
Attest: State of Utah } ss:
County of Carbon



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