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May 15, 1981

Mr. Wayne Hedberg  
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Dear Mr. Hedberg,

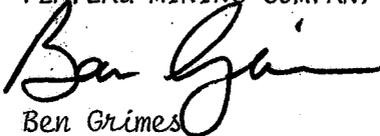
As per your request to Steve Rigby we would like to submit the following:

1. Extension of time to submit proof of appropriation or proof of change - Application No. 41686 [91-3555].
2. Culinary Water System Compliance - Timetable.
3. Copy of a letter from Vaughn Hansen Associates to Jim Smith concerning culinary water system status.

If you have any questions please contact either myself or John Rosner in our office.

Sincerely,

PLATEAU MINING COMPANY



Ben Grimes  
Engineering & Reclamation Specialist

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Enclosures

cc: S. Rigby  
F. Tucker

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Dear Applicant:

RE: Application No. 41686 (91-3555)

Request for extension of time in which to submit Proof of Appropriation or Proof of Change contemplated by the above-numbered application has been considered and the time for receiving Proof of Appropriation is hereby extended from February 28, 1981 to February 28, 1984 inclusive.

This extension is granted in accordance with the law which states: "The construction of the works and the application of water to beneficial use shall be diligently prosecuted to completion within the time fixed by the state engineer. Extensions of time ... may be granted by the state engineer on proper showing of diligence or reasonable cause for delay... In the consideration of an application to extend the time in which to place the water to beneficial use under an approved application, ... the state engineer shall deny such extension and declare the application lapsed, unless the applicant affirmatively shows that he has exercised or is exercising reasonable and due diligence in working toward completion of the appropriation."

I earnestly recommend that you complete your development and submit Proof of Appropriation at the earliest possible date.

Yours very truly,

Dee C. Hansen  
State Engineer

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EXTENSION

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CULINARY WATER SYSTEM COMPLIANCE

*Outline and Timetable*

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>DATE INITIATED</u>	<u>DATE COMPLETED</u>
<i>Examine existing system</i>	<i>02/01/81</i>	<i>03/31/81</i>
<i>Layout necessary changes</i>	<i>02/01/81</i>	<i>03/13/81</i>
<i>Determine required materials</i>	<i>03/13/81</i>	<i>05/14/81 EST.</i>
<i>Order materials</i>	<i>05/01/81</i>	<i>05/20/81 EST.</i>
<i>Submit pre-construction drawings to State Health Department</i>		<i>05/22/81 EST.</i>
<i>Make the necessary changes in the system</i>		<i>08/15/81 EST.</i>
<i>Submit as-built drawings to State Health Department</i>		<i>08/21/81 EST.</i>
<i>Obtain approval</i>		<i>10/01/81 EST.</i>

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HANSEN  
ASSOCIATES**

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PLATEAU MINING CO.  
Engineering Dept.

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Mr. James W. Smith, Jr.  
Coordinator of Mined Land Development  
Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining  
1588 West North Temple  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84116

Dear Mr. Smith:

Recently a copy of a letter of correspondence addressing the current status of the Plateau culinary water system from Dennis R. Dalley (Associate Deputy Director of the Department of Health) to yourself was sent to myself from John Rosner of Plateau Mining Company. We were retained by Plateau Mining Company to examine their existing culinary water system and provide recommendations regarding required changes to bring the system into compliance with the "Utah Public Drinking Water Regulations".

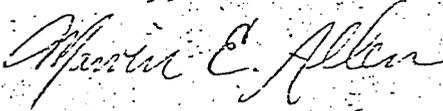
John Rosner requested that I inform you with regards to the current status of the culinary water system and the proposed timetable for obtaining approval for the system from the Department of Health. Enclosed is an outline and timetable, prepared and approved by Plateau Mining Company, presenting their intended schedule for implementing the required changes to the system and bringing the water system into compliance with state regulations. As you will note, the first two phases have been completed. We have examined the existing system and have presented to Plateau the necessary changes, outlining required material appendages to the system. Plateau is currently working on the fourth and fifth phases of the timetable, that of ordering materials and preparing pre-construction drawings to be submitted to the State Health Department.

Clarification should be made with regards to the number of people to be served by the culinary water system to the bathhouse. The aforementioned letter to yourself from Dennis Dalley stated that 250 people would be served by the water system. There are currently 140 people using the new office building and bathhouse for which the said water system is serving. If production levels are increased from the current level of 1.2 million tons per year to 4 million tons per year, 350 people would be

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using the bathhouse and office building. Therefore, the system is being evaluated at both the current level of 140 people and the proposed level of 350 people. As indicated in the timetable, Plateau Mining Company is shooting for an October 1, 1981 self-imposed deadline for obtaining state approval. If you have any questions regarding the status of their water system, please advise us.

Sincerely,



Marvin E. Allen  
Engineer/Hydrologist

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cc: John Rosner ✓