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Copy to Wayne
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Jim

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".

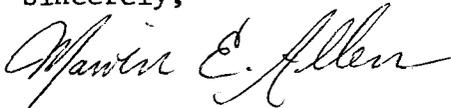
John Rosner requested that I inform you with regards to the current status of the culinary water system and the proposed timetable for obtaining approval for the system from the Department of Health. Enclosed is an outline and timetable, prepared and approved by Plateau Mining Company, presenting their 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