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Mr. Mel Coonrod
Plateau Mining Company
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RE: Revegetation Plan
Starpoint Mine
ACT/007/006
Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Coonrod:

As per our telephone conversation on August 24, 1981, in which we discussed your draft of the reclamation plan dated August 17, 1981, the following recommendations were agreed upon:

1. The two step seeding and mulching operation should begin on or about September 7.
2. The proposed seed mix may be used provided: (a) the reclamation plan gives evidence that the proposed mix is what the landowner desires; (b) the seeding rate is referenced to Pure Live Seed (PLS).
3. Phase 2 and Phase 3 will not be implemented except on a site-by-site basis approved by the Division.
4. Shrub stocking rates (Phase 3) should be determined by the reference area stocking and the success of the shrubs seeded in Phase 1.
5. Terracing should not be done unless evidence is presented to insure that the size of the terrace is sufficient to control erosion and stability.

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I appreciate the invitation to view the seeding and mulching processes. If you could give me about a weeks notice of a preferred date to come down, I could probably arrange it.

Sincerely,



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RECLAMATION BIOLOGIST

cc: OSM
Wayne Hedberg

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