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**DIVISION OF
OIL, GAS & MINING**

RE: AMENDMENT TO LEASE MODIFICATION (FEDERAL COAL LEASE SL-031286)

Dear Mr. Robison:

On December 4, 1981, Plateau Mining Company made application to your office to modify its Federal Coal Lease SL-031286 to include an additional 160 contiguous acres. This acreage is legally described as: E $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$, Section 11, Township 15 South, Range 7 East, Salt Lake Base and Meridian.

Recently, certain individuals within the Interior Department's Minerals Management Service have expressed concern that there is some coal immediately to the North of this 160-acre parcel which would be lost forever if not mined by Plateau in conjunction with this modification. Plateau Mining Company concurs with this opinion. Therefore, we are hereby requesting that the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 11, T.15S., R.7E., S.L.B. and M. be deleted from our proposed modification and that the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 2, T.15S., R7E., S.L. B. and M. be added in its place. The entire description of the lands sought in this modification would then be:

- (1) SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 2, T.15S., R.7E., S.L. B. & M. (40 acres)
 - (2) E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 11, T.15S., R.7E., S.L. B. & M. (80 acres)
 - (3) NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 11, T.15S., R.7E., S.L. B. & M. (40 acres)
- Total acres \approx 160

These lands are shown on the enclosed map.

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Mining operations are rapidly proceeding toward the west boundary line of Federal Coal Lease SL-031286, and hence, your immediate attention in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

PLATEAU MINING COMPANY



Floyd J. Tucker
Vice President and General Manager

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