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October 4, 1983

Mr. Allen D. Klein, Administrator
Western Technical Center
Office of Surface Mining
Brooks Towers
1020 Fifteenth Street
Denver, Colorado 80202

Attention: Mr. Steve Manger

RE: Unresolved Special Stipulations
and Coarse Refuse Pile
Expansion Response
Plateau Mining Company
Star Point Mines
ACT/007/006, Folder Nos. 3 & 7
Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Klein:

Enclosed please find eight (8) copies of Plateau Mining Company's (PMC) recent response to our August 16, 1983 letter which outlined a number of unresolved stipulations to the permit approval and coarse refuse pile expansion project. Seven (7) copies are for your office and one (1) copy to be forwarded to the Albuquerque OSM office.

The Division will schedule the review and prepare a response within sixty (60) days of receipt (by November 23, 1983). If your staff wishes to provide comment, please submit them to this office prior to this tentative date.

Also enclosed are eight (8) copies of the final approved plans for the noncoal waste storage area (trash bin area) to update the MRP's currently on file with your office.

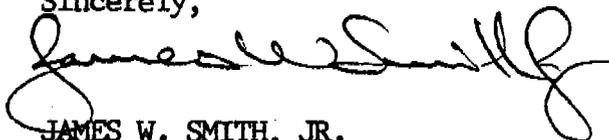
In addition, eight (8) copies of FMC's latest abatement plan response to NOV N83-7-4-1, #1 of 3 are enclosed to update your MRP files. This abatement plan (second response) is currently undergoing review by the Division.

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When the abatement plan is determined adequate, a copy of the approval will be forwarded to your office.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact D. Wayne Hedberg of the technical staff.

Sincerely,



JAMES W. SMITH, JR.
COORDINATOR OF MINED
LAND DEVELOPMENT

JWS/DWH:btb

Enclosures

cc: Ben Grimes, PMC
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