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December 24, 1984

Mr. Ben Grimes
Environmental Coordinator
Plateau Mining Company
P. O. Drawer PMC
Price, Utah 84501

Dear Mr. Grimes:

RE: Sampling Parameters for Underground Development Waste for
Bear Valley Graben Structure, ACT/007/006A, #2, Carbon
County, Utah

On December 20, 1984, I spoke with Mr. Ben Grimes of Plateau Mining Company regarding the underground development waste associated with the proposed Bear Valley graben structure.

As a result of this discussion, the following parameters will be sampled for:

pH
Electrical Conductivity
Sodium Absorbtion Ratio
Total Iron
Pyrite
Manganese
Boron
Sulfate

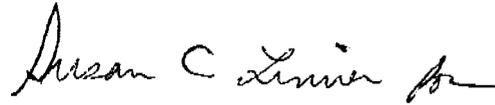
The initial sample will be done on materials obtained pursuant to the drill program. Further samples will be taken quarterly during the duration of the operation and results presented to the regulatory authority.

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However, the list of parameters may be minimized at a later date should data warrant it. Likewise, if indicated by data, additional parameters may be added at a later time.

Should you have any questions, please call.

Sincerely,



Thomas L. Portle
Reclamation Soils Specialist

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