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VACATION/TERMINATION OF NOTICE OF VIOLATION/CESSATION ORDER

To the following Permittee or Operator:

Name PLATEAU MINING COMPANY

Mailing Address P.O. DRAWER PMC

State Permit No. ACT/007/006

Utah Coal Mining & Reclamation Act, Section 40-10-1 et seq., Utah Code Annotated (1953):

Notice of Violation No. N 86-10-4-1 dated AUGUST 7, 19 86.

Cessation Order No. C _____ dated _____, 19 _____.

Part 1 of 1 is vacated terminated because THE OPERATOR HAS COMMITTED TO NOTIFYING THE DIVISION OF FUTURE NONCOMPLIANCE EVENTS FOR SURFACE WATER DISCHARGES WITHIN THE REQUIRED TIME FRAME.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF TERMINATION IS 8/7/86 (THE SAME DAY AS THE VIOLATION).

Part _____ of _____ is vacated terminated because _____

Part _____ of _____ is vacated terminated because _____

Date of service (mailing) AUGUST 19, 1986

Time of service (mailing) _____ a.m. p.m.

Date of Inspection AUGUST 7, 1986

BEN GRIMES
Permittee/Operator representative

ENVIRONMENTAL COORDINATOR
Title

SENT BY MAIL
Signature

PHIL RALPHS
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

RECLAMATION FIELD SPECIALIST
Title

Phil M Ralphs
Signature

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Office of Surface Mining
Reclamation and Enforcement
TEN-DAY NOTICE

Originating Office: USEI / USM
Albuquerque Field Office
219 CENTRAL AVE, N.W.
Albuquerque, NM 87102
Telephone Number: (505) 766-1486

Number: X-86-2-116-6 TV 1

Ten-Day Notice to the State of UTAH

You are notified that, as a result of A FEDERAL INSPECTION (e.g. a federal inspection, citizen information, etc.) the Secretary has reason to believe that the person described below is in violation of the Act or a permit condition required by the Act. If the State Regulatory Authority fails within ten days after receipt of this notice to take appropriate action to cause the violation(s) described herein to be corrected, or to show cause for such failure and transmit notice of your action to the Secretary through the originating office designated above, then a Federal inspection of the surface coal mining operation at which the alleged violation(s) is occurring will be conducted and appropriate enforcement action as required by Section 521(a)(1) of the Act will be taken.

Permittee: <u>Plateau Mining Co.</u> <small>(Or Operator if No Permit)</small>	County: <u>Carbon</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Surface
Mailing Address: <u>P.O. DRAWER PMC</u>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Underground
Permit Number: <u>ACT/007/006</u>	Mine Name: <u>Starpoint</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

NATURE OF VIOLATION AND LOCATION: Failure to notify the UTAH/DOGM within 5 days of receiving analytical results of surface water discharges which were in noncompliance with
Section of State Law, Regulation or Permit Condition believed to have been violated: UMC 817.52(b)(ii)

NATURE OF VIOLATION AND LOCATION: NPDES permit effluent limitations for Total Dissolved Solids (TDS); and failure to forward the analytical results concurrently with the written notice of noncompliance.
Section of State Law, Regulation or Permit Condition believed to have been violated:

NATURE OF VIOLATION AND LOCATION: This includes analysis of discharges from the mine water disch. during the 4th qtr of 1985 and 1st quarter of 1986; and discharges of sed. pond #8 during
Section of State Law, Regulation or Permit Condition believed to have been violated:

Remarks or Recommendations: the 1st quarter of 1986.

Date of Notice: 8-7-86
mailed 8-7-86 via certified # P201 228 985

Signature of Authorized Rep.: Henry P. Austin
Print Name and ID: HENRY P. AUSTIN #116



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STATE OF UTAH
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July 25, 1986

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

Dear Mr. ~~Grimes~~:

RE: Star Point Mine, ACT/007/006, Folder #13,
Pinyon-Juniper Reference Area

Dan Duce and I appreciate the time Kent Crofts was able to take with us earlier this month to tour the refuse area test plots and reference areas.

After visiting the Pinyon-Juniper reference areas and reviewing the vegetation information in your MRP, we agree that it is unnecessary to maintain and sample both reference areas (old unit train site and topsoil storage site). If agreeable to Plateau, please include only the topsoil storage Pinyon-Juniper reference area (both north and south aspects) in future submittals, e.g., the imminent permit renewal. This area should be an adequate reference for all Pinyon-Juniper revegetation at the mine.

Sincerely,

Kathryn M. Mutz
Reclamation Biologist

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cc: D. Duce
J. Whitehead
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