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Dear Mr. Koblitz:

RE: Clarification of March 5, 1986 Meeting Items Regarding Plateau Mining Company Permit Renewal Application, Star Point Mine, ACT/007/006, #2, Carbon County, Utah

In response to your letter dated March 12, 1986, the following items appear to need a little clarification.

Point #2 on your attached meeting notes indicated that the draft Office of Surface Mining (OSM) PHC guidelines contain all appropriate needs for regulatory compliance. The OSM draft guidelines for PHCs should serve as a guide, but may not contain all appropriate needs for regulatory compliance. Further, it is stated in point #2 that the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining will utilize its revised ground-water guidelines for adequacy and review of the submittal. It should be pointed out that the January 1986 guidelines which are referred to are for monitoring surface and ground water for both baseline, operational, and postmining applications. These guidelines will be used to analyze PMC's water monitoring plans.

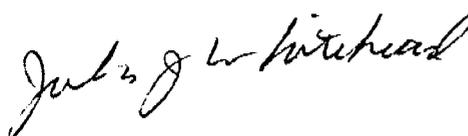
Item #6 in your meeting notes states that DOGM has all appropriate information concerning Cyprus Western Coal Equipment Company. Just as a point of clarification, we interpret this to mean that DOGM should have all appropriate information concerning Cyprus Western Coal Equipment Company. As of this point in time, we do not.

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I certainly appreciate your interest in formulating a concise, clear application for the Plateau permit renewal. If I can be of any further assistance, please don't hesitate to call me.

Sincerely,



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