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**DIVISION OF
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RE: Forest Service Spring Review, Cypress - Plateau Mining Company,
Starpoint Mine, ACT/007/006, Folder #2, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Lowell:

The Forest Service has recently completed a field and office review of the subject spring and seeps on Gentry Mountain. The results of this review indicate that the following springs do not need monitoring (Plateau's numbering system): No's. 503, S-12-1, 440, 491, 233, 447, 424 and 450.

The review also indicated that the following springs should be monitored at a minimum for two years as baseline and then one year prior to mining and thereafter through the time of mining and subsidence:

<u>Plateau's Spring ID No.</u>	<u>Forest Service ID No.</u>	<u>State Water Right Claim No.</u>
492	980	91-0980
S-11-1	119	
232	975	91-0975
458	764	93-1479
424	762	93-1475
971	977	91-0977
452	758	93-1473

This letter will constitute final Forest Service consent to the approval of Cypress - Plateau's Five Year Mine Plan.

If you have any questions, please let us know.

Sincerely,



for
GEORGE A. MORRIS
Forest Supervisor