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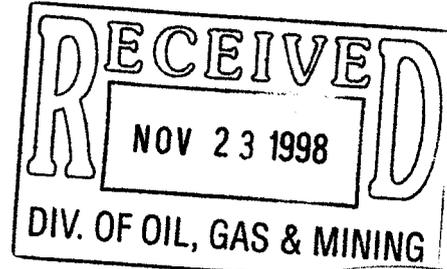


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November 18, 1998

Ms. Pamela Grubaugh-Littig  
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Re: Third Quarter 1998 Refuse Pile Certification, Star Point Mine, ACT/007/006

Dear Ms. Grubaugh-Littig:

Enclosed is a copy of the aforementioned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Johnny Pappas".

Johnny Pappas  
Sr. Environmental Engineer

Enclosure

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**REFUSE PILE CERTIFICATION**  
**3rd Quarter 1998**

I have inspected the refuse pile at Star Point Mine, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is being maintained per the requirements of the permit and applicable regulations.



T. Arthur Palm

9/30/98  
Date

