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June 5, 2012

Dennis Ware
Plateau Mining Corporation
P.O. Box 30
Helper, Utah 84526

Subject: 2011 Annual Report Review Completion, Star Point Mine, C/007/0006, Task #4064

Dear Mr. Ware:

The Division staff has completed the review of the 2011 Annual Report. Enclosed is a copy of the review with each reviewer's comments completed on June 4, 2012.

Thank you for your diligence in completing the Annual Report. If you have any questions, please call me at (801) 538-5325.

Sincerely,


Daron R. Haddock
Coal Program Manager

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Enclosure
cc: Price Field Office
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Annual Report

This Annual Report shows information the Division has for your mine. Submit the completed document and any additional information identified in the Appendices to the Division by **March 30, 2012**. During a complete inspection an inspector will check and verify the information.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Company Name	Plateau Mining Corporation	Mine Name	Star Point Mine
Permit Number	C/007/0006	Permit expiration Date	January 28, 2016
Operator Name	Plateau Mining Corporation	Phone Number	+1 (435) 472-0475
Mailing Address	P.O. Box 30	Email	dware@alphanr.com
City	Helper		
State	Utah	Zip Code	84526

DOG M File Location or Annual Report Location

Excess Spoil Piles	<input type="checkbox"/> Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	
Refuse Piles	<input type="checkbox"/> Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	
Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/> Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	
Other:		

OPERATOR COMMENTS

REVIEWER COMMENTS

Met Requirements Did Not meet Requirements

Reviewed by James Owen. All requirements were met.

REPORTING OF OTHER TECHNICAL DATA

Please list other technical data or information that was not included in the form above, but is required under the approved plan, which must be periodically submitted to the Division.

Please list attachments:

Year nine vegetation study conducted by Mt. Nebo Scientific. This vegetation study is too large to send by email. Two copies of this vegetation study (on computer disc) were delivered to the office of Steve Demczak in the Price Field Office on Wednesday, March 28th.

Reviewer Comments

Reviewed by Ingrid Campbell 5/23/2012: A vegetation monitoring report for the first year of the two year monitoring requirement for phase III bond release was submitted with the annual report. Patrick Collins of Mt. Nebo Scientific conducted the study in 2011. Revegetation of the site was finalized in 2003 and the site has been monitored for vegetation success in year 4, 6 and 8. Cover, Frequency, composition, density, diversity and biomass production was recorded for the reclaimed and reference areas. Photographs and maps were also provided. The reclaimed site meets (at least 90% of) or exceeds all parameters as compared to the reference areas.

MAPS

Copies of mine maps, current and up-to-date through at least December 31, 2011, are to be provided to the Division as an attachment to this report in accordance with the requirements of R645-301-525.240. The map copies shall be made in accordance with 30 CFR 75.1200 as required by MSHA. Mine maps are not considered confidential.

Map Name	Map Number	Included		Confidential	
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Reviewer Comments Met Requirements Did Not Meet Requirements