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To Mary Boucek

Date 4/6/84

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From Ron Daniels

Subject Simons & Li Contract Extension

I have reviewed your memo dated 4/5/84 (Doc # 82900) on this contract extension. Please proceed to extend the contract by obtaining an itemized estimate from the company and preparing the extension document. Thank you

Signed Ron

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MEMORANDUM

April 5, 1984

TO: Ronald W. Daniels, Associate Director

FROM: Mary M. Boucek, Reclamation Biologist/Permit Supervisor Mary

SUBJECT: Sunnyside MRP Review

The Division is in the position of having to determine whether or not to continue our contract with Simons, Li & Associates (SLA) in completing the review of Kaiser Steel's Sunnyside MRP through the final TA stage. Several factors, as follow, are pertinent to this decision:

1. SLA has completed the draft Final TA excepting those portions dealing with AVF issues and geotechnical stability analyses of the slurry ponds. Kaiser will submit this required information April 20, 1984 at which time the draft FTA can be completed. At that time, either the Division staff or its contractor will have to complete the review.

2. The Division staff has not been involved first hand with the review to date, as this has been the responsibility of the Division's Contractor, SLA. However, the staff is familiar with the operation and input from the various disciplines indicates that the staff feels they could continue the review on their own regarding biology, soil and hydrology. There is some question regarding the ease with which the geological and geotechnical portions of the review could be handled by the Division due to other commitments in Pam's workload and the unfamiliarity of the new geologist with his job.

3. Continuing the contract with SLA will require additional expenditures to the State in the neighborhood of $7,000.00. It will be necessary to extend the contract for approximately three momths.

4. The current contract expires April 15, 1984 and a decision to extend must be made prior to that date in order that the necessary paperwork can be initiated.

Should you need further input from me during this decision-making phase, I'll be glad to help wherever possible. Thank you.

MMB/btb

cc: J. Smith, DOGM
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