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Mr. Ken May
Associate Director
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
355 West North Temple
3 Triad Center, Suite 350
Salt Lake City, UT 84180-1203

Dear Ken:

Thank you for calling on Wednesday October 16, 1985 to inform me of the direction that the Division has decided to take regarding the proposal we presented at our meeting on October 8, 1985.

It is my understanding that on Tuesday, you and your staff conferred with officials from the Office of Surface Mining (OSM) in Denver, Colorado and a joint decision was made which would allow Kaiser Coal to prepare a revision that could be reviewed by OSM concurrently with the Sunnyside Mines permit (which was signed by the Division and sent to OSM the same day). You explained that OSM would not accept a request for an incidental boundary change, but that the 115 acres outlined in our proposal is acceptable to OSM for inclusion in the revision. You also stated that OSM gave you the indication that Kaiser Coal could obtain approvals for both the Sunnyside permit and the revision in the first part of January 1986.

At your suggestion, I called John Whitehead of the Division and coordinated with him a time when I could receive his call providing me with his list of needs for the revision package. Be assured that Kaiser Coal will make every effort to be immediately responsive in this revision action.

Mr. Ken May
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Ken, I hope that I correctly interpreted your comments and suggestions from our conversation. This is the direction Kaiser Coal will now pursue. Unless I hear from you within the next two weeks, I will assume I have correctly understood our discussion.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Martin P. Holmes". The signature is written in dark ink and has a long, sweeping horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Martin P. Holmes
Manager Permits and
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cc: A. Klein - OSM, Denver
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