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**DIVISION OF OIL
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RE: Modification of NPDES Permit
UT-0022942, Kaiser Coal Corporation
Sunnyside Mines, Sediment Pond
Discharges

Dear Mr. Burm:

The Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining has requested that Kaiser Coal Corporation modify its' NPDES permit to cover the discharges from surface runoff sediment ponds. This letter is a request that Permit Ut-0022942 be modified to include the ponds as they are listed below. The ponds are designed to contain a 10 year, 24 hour precipitation event and pass a 25 year, 24 hour event through an emergency overflow. Water from a 10 year, 24 hour event will be contained in the pond for 24 hours and then decanted. The rated pond sizes, overflow amounts, locations and receiving waters are as follows:

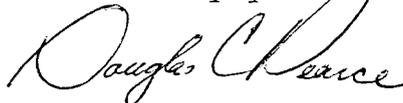
Pond	10yr/24hr ac-ft	25yr/24hr ac-ft	Latitude	Longitude	Receiving Waters
Manshaft	0.15	0.04	39°35'57"	110°22'53"	Grassytrail
Railcut	3.03	1.12	39°32'13"	110°23'49"	Icelander*
Refuse Rd	0.36	0.14	39°32'18"	110°23'03"	Icelander*
Pasture	0.18	0.11	39°32'39"	110°23'24"	Icelander*
Lw.No.2	0.22	0.11	39°33'19"	110°22'13"	No. 2 Canyon*
Up.No.2	0.12	0.06	39°33'20"	110°22'00"	No. 2 Canyon*
C.R. Toe	0.46	0.17	39°32'30"	110°23'52"	Icelander*
No.3 H.H.	0.14	0.08	39°33'29"	110°22'29"	No. 2 Canyon*
SSSF	2.16	0.94	39°33'19"	110°22'45"	Icelander*

* Icelander and No. 2 Canyon washes are ephemeral drainages which flow into Grassytrail Creek.

Location of the present discharge points and the sediment ponds are found on the enclosed map.

Water is expected to be discharged from the ponds once every ten years. Because of the low frequency of discharge, we are requesting that monitoring reports for the ponds be required only when a discharge occurs. This would reduce the amount of paper work to a meaningful level.

Sincerely yours

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Douglas C Pearce". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Douglas C Pearce
Mine Engineer

cc John Whitehead, Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining