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TO: Richard V. Smith, Permit Supervisor

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RE: Request for Legal Opinion Regarding Permanent Buildings, Sunnyside Reclamation and Salvage, Sunnyside Mines, ACT/007/007, Folder #2, Carbon County, Utah

Attached please find a copy of the letter from Sunnyside City Corporation regarding buildings at the Sunnyside Mine site. A legal opinion is requested to determine if this letter is sufficient to accept the liabilities for these buildings during the bond liability period that will remain permanently on the mine site.

Please advise.

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Attachment  
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*As per our conversation of 8-15-89, I don't believe that the attached letter is sufficient to provide the Division with the information necessary to determine whether the proposed alternative post mining land use is a "higher and better" use of the mined property than returning it to a premining state. (see §40-10-17(2)(b))*

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