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Mr. Gerald T. McPhee
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Dear Mr. McPhee:

We have reviewed your July 1, 1982 letter regarding possible changes by Sunoco to the Sage Point-Dugout Canyon permit application prepared by Eureka Energy. The uncertainty of Sunoco's intent to conduct operations in accordance with the application submitted by Eureka has the Office of Surface Mining in a stalemate. In order to resolve the uncertainty, I suggest you do two things:

1. Prepare and submit to Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining and OSM a list of the elements in Eureka's application you are considering changing.
2. Provide with the list a schedule for submitting the revised elements.

The UDOGM and OSM can then determine a schedule of review. Both agencies are fully committed to review and approval activities based on firm proposals; therefore, your application must be considered in this context.

Sincerely,
Richard E. Dawes
Allen D. Klein
Administrator
Western Technical Center

cc: Jim Smith, UDOGM ✓

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