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State of Utah
Department of Natural Resources
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
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RE: Extension Request for Abatement of NOV 94-41-6-2

Dear Sirs,

U.S. Fuel Company requests an extension of the abatement date for the above NOV 1 of 2 from October 31, 1994 and NOV 2 of 2 from November 9, 1994 to November 17, 1994. This date will combine the above NOV abatement to coincide with the abatement date of NOV 94-41-7-1. The extension will allow time to discuss with the Division other remedial actions to abate the NOV other than the action required in the NOV.

The present remedial action required has several legal problems preventing U.S. Fuel's abatement of the NOV. These problems are related to right of entry, ICC restraint of commerce, and other ownership questions. An informal conference hearing will be requested.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gary E. Gray".

Gary E. Gray
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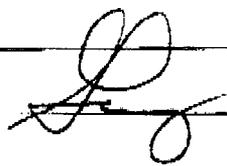
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Please deliver immediately to: Paul Baker

From: Gary Gray

Message: Paul - I have talked to Joe Helfrich
about this extension request. Lowell Braxton
and Mike Watson have discussed this.



Thank you.