

UNITED STATES FUEL COMPANY

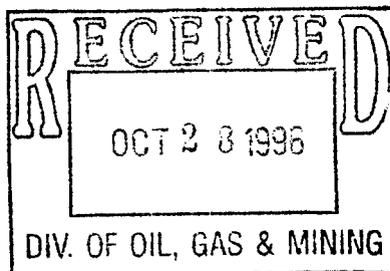
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Re: Request for Permit Renewal
U.S. Fuel Company
Hiawatha Complex
ACT/007/011; Folder #2
Carbon County, Utah

Dear Ms. Littig:

Pursuant to R645-303-232, U.S. Fuel Company is herein submitting a request for renewal of the permit for the Hiawatha Complex.

Enclosed is a copy of the liability insurance policy, performance bond and proposed newspaper notice. The notice will be run in the local paper once per week for 4 consecutive weeks, and proof of publication will be submitted to the Division as required by R645-300-121.100.

If you have any questions, or need any further information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Michael P. Watson
President

Enclosure(s)