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Mr. Michael Watson, President
U. S. Fuel Company
P.O. Box 887
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Re: Seed Mix Change, U. S. Fuel Company, Hiawatha Mine, ACT/007/011,
Folder #2, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Watson:

I received a note from Scott Spackeen of Granite Seed Company indicating they do not have seed of gooseberryleaf globemallow, and he suggested substituting Munro globemallow. Although, to my knowledge, Munro globemallow has not been collected in Carbon County, it has been found in extreme southeastern Utah County and southern Duchesne County in juniper and mountain brush communities. Therefore, it appears to be adapted to the Hiawatha site, and the change is acceptable. This change does not necessitate a plan amendment but does need to be reported in the annual report. Please notify me three days prior to seeding, if possible I would like to be present during the operation.

Please call if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker
Reclamation Biologist

cc: Susan White
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