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July 28, 1997

Mr. Daron Haddock
State of Utah
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining
1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

RE: Extension Request for abatement of NOV 97-41-4-1
Wellington Preparation Plant (ACT/007/012)

Dear Mr. Haddock:

The purpose of this letter is to follow-up with a request for an extension. In behalf of NEICO ("Permittee"), I request for Earthco ("Operator") an extension of one week for abatement of the violation concerning unresolved requirements from the Division's Technical Analysis dated December 23, 1996.

Evidently, Earthco sent you an earlier request because we were not in the office during 24th of July holiday weekend.

Sincerely,

Patrick D. Collins, Ph.D.
Resident Agent/Environmental Consultant

cc: D. Schwehr (NEICO)
S. Traweek (Earthco)