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VIA: FACSIMILE

February 4, 1997

Mr. Paul Baker
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 Dryer Pond (N96-41-2-1)
Wellington Preparation Plant (ACT/007/012)**

Dear Mr. Baker:

As a representative for the "Permittee" (NEICO) at the Wellington Plant, the "Operator" (Earthco) contacted me to approach the Division for an extension request for abatement of the above Notice of Violation. The original NOV listed February 6, 1997 to implement designs previously submitted for the Dryer Pond. Because Earthco has not yet received final approval of the design plans and due to unusual snow accumulations at Wellington, it is anticipated that the designs will not be implemented by that date. An extension of time for abatement is hereby requested.

Your consideration in this matter would be appreciated. Please contact us with your decision.

Sincerely,

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

cc: D. Schwehr (NEICO)
S. Traweck (Earthco)
J. Slusser (Earthco)