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Patrick Collins  
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P. O. Box 337  
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Re: Conditional Dryer Pond Design Approval, Nevada Electric Investment Company, Wellington Preparation Plant, ACT/007/012-97A, Folder #2, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Collins:

The Division has reviewed the designs you submitted to modify the Dryer Pond at the Wellington Preparation Plant. They were submitted to satisfy abatement requirements for violation N96-41-2-1. The designs are hereby approved, but there are a few problems that need to be corrected. Once you have made the corrections, the Division will send you a copy of the fully-approved amendment.

All information submitted in the amendment received on March 28, 1997, and the sheet contained in appendix L, entitled "Dryer Pond Spillway," which was submitted on April 02, 1997, are approved. Page five through the end of Section 7.42 in the existing plan (dated 11/10/94 and 11/7/96), are not to be replaced with this approval. Pages one through five from this submittal replace pages one through four in the current operation and reclamation plan until further text clarification is provided.

The following stipulation must be met by April 30, 1997:

**R645-301-120**, Correct the table on page Table 742.1 to show a peak flow through the routed dryer sedimentation pond to be 13 cfs. Correct the text on pages 1-7 in Section 7.42 so that overlapping information is removed and permanent information from the existing plan is retained.

Attached is a copy of a memorandum from Sharon Falvey discussing the proposal. Please review it and call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Joseph Helfrich  
Permit Supervisor

enclosure

cc: Steve Traweck, Earthco  
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