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Melvin Coonrod, Resident Agent
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Re: Change in Lease Ownership, UtahAmerican Energy Inc., Horse Canyon Mine,
C/007/013-LF00B, Outgoing File

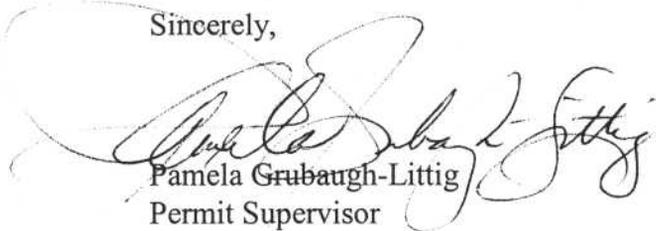
Dear Mr. Coonrod:

On October 16, 2000, we sent you a copy of our review of the referenced amendment. The letter accompanying the review asked for a response by November 30, 2000, or the Division would return the application. We have not received a response to the deficiencies to date or a request for an extended deadline, and are thus returning this amendment application.

The ownership and control and right of entry sections of the Horse Canyon Mine, Mining and Reclamation Plan must be accurate and current. This situation makes information for the Lila Canyon Mine proposal inaccurate and should be submitted as soon as possible.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (801) 538-5268 or Paul Baker at (801) 538-5261.

Sincerely,



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Permit Supervisor

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