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1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210
Salt Lake City, Utah 84116-3154

December 29, 2006

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CO070013
TASK 2728

Dear Ms Littig,

RE: Horse Canyon Bond Release Application Response to UDOGM Deficiencies Letter Dated
September 29, 2006

Please find enclosed 3 copies of redline-strikeout, and 3 copies of a final version of responses to
the above referenced UDOGM review letter for the Horse Canyon Phase III Bond Release
Application for your review.

If you have any questions please call Mr Jay Marshall at (435) 888-4007, or myself at (435) 650-
7075.

Sincerely,

Ben Grimes
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Enclosures

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

APPLICATION FOR COAL PERMIT PROCESSING

Permit Change New Permit Renewal Exploration Bond Release Transfer

Permittee: UtahAmerican Energy, Inc

Mine: Horse Canyon

Permit Number: ACT/007/013

Title: Phase III Bond Release Application - Phase I & II Areas and Post Mine Land Use Change Areas

Description, Include reason for application and timing required to implement:

Requesting Phase III Bond Release for all areas of the Horse Canyon Mine.

Instructions: If you answer yes to any of the first eight (gray) questions, this application may require Public Notice publication.

- Yes No 1. Change in the size of the Permit Area? Acres: _____ Disturbed Area: _____ increase decrease.
- Yes No 2. Is the application submitted as a result of a Division Order? DO# _____
- Yes No 3. Does the application include operations outside a previously identified Cumulative Hydrologic Impact Area?
- Yes No 4. Does the application include operations in hydrologic basins other than as currently approved?
- Yes No 5. Does the application result from cancellation, reduction or increase of insurance or reclamation bond?
- Yes No 6. Does the application require or include public notice publication?
- Yes No 7. Does the application require or include ownership, control, right-of-entry, or compliance information?
- Yes No 8. Is proposed activity within 100 feet of a public road or cemetery or 300 feet of an occupied dwelling?
- Yes No 9. Is the application submitted as a result of a Violation? NOV # _____
- Yes No 10. Is the application submitted as a result of other laws or regulations or policies?
Explain: Public Notice is included.
- Yes No 11. Does the application affect the surface landowner or change the post mining land use?
- Yes No 12. Does the application require or include underground design or mine sequence and timing? (Modification of R2P2)
- Yes No 13. Does the application require or include collection and reporting of any baseline information?
- Yes No 14. Could the application have any effect on wildlife or vegetation outside the current disturbed area?
- Yes No 15. Does the application require or include soil removal, storage or placement?
- Yes No 16. Does the application require or include vegetation monitoring, removal or revegetation activities?
- Yes No 17. Does the application require or include construction, modification, or removal of surface facilities?
- Yes No 18. Does the application require or include water monitoring, sediment or drainage control measures?
- Yes No 19. Does the application require or include certified designs, maps or calculation?
- Yes No 20. Does the application require or include subsidence control or monitoring?
- Yes No 21. Have reclamation costs for bonding been provided?
- Yes No 22. Does the application involve a perennial stream, a stream buffer zone or discharges to a stream?
- Yes No 23. Does the application affect permits issued by other agencies or permits issued to other entities?

Please attach four (4) review copies of the application. If the mine is on or adjacent to Forest Service land please submit five (5) copies, thank you. (These numbers include a copy for the Price Field Office)

I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments, undertakings, and obligations, herein.

R Jay Marshall
Print Name

R Jay Marshall Chief Engineer
Sign Name, Position, Date 10/29/06

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of Dec, 2006

Mary B Patton
Notary Public

My commission Expires: 5-8, 2009
Attest: State of Utah } ss:
County of Carbon



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