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Mr. Allen D. Klein
Administrator
Western Technical Center
Office of Surface Mining
Brooks Towers
1020 15th Street
Denver, CO 80202

RE: Gordon Creek #2 Mine
Proposed Mine Yard Renovation
Approval
ACT/007/016
Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Klein,

Enclosed please find copies of correspondence between Beaver Creek Coal Company and the Division concerning proposed changes to the Gordon Creek #2 Mine yard.

The proposed changes are intended to help eliminate erosion and surface drainage problems which have been a concern to both Beaver Creek Coal and to us. The changes include regrading and recontouring areas of the yard, installation of culverts, and relocation of the coal loadout loop. This renovation is considered a minor modification by the Division.

After reviewing the plans and conducting an on-site inspection, the mining staff found the changes to be acceptable and approval to proceed was granted.

If you have any questions or comments, please call

Sincerely,

STEVEN G. COX
RECLAMATION BIOLOGIST

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