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October 12, 1984

Mr. Dan Guy
Manager of Permitting
and Compliance
Beaver Creek Coal Company
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Dear Mr. Guy:

RE: Snow Removal Storage Areas, Beaver Creek Coal Company,
Gordon Creek #2 Mine, ACT/007/016, #4, Gordon Creek #3 and
#6 Mines, ACT/007/017, #4, Carbon County, Utah

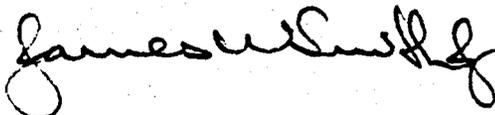
The Division has reviewed Beaver Creek Coal Company's (BCCC) proposal to remove snow from the Gordon Creek #2 Mine to be stored above the sediment pond at the Gordon Creek #3 and #6 Mines portal pad area during the winter of 1984-85. The Division recognizes the temporary need for an additional snow storage area for the #2 Mine due to use of most surface storage areas for material storage during the completion phases for the Southwest Lease facilities construction. Therefore, the Division hereby approves the temporary storage of snow from the #2 Mine at the portal pad area of the #3 and #6 Mine during the winter of 1984-85.

It should be noted that BCCC is responsible for remaining in compliance with all applicable performance standards at the Gordon Creek #3 and #6 Mines where the snow is to be stored. In addition, the Company is advised that any areas where materials are stored on the surface at the Gordon Creek #2 Mine must be designated as storage areas in the Mining and Reclamation Plan and that compliance with all applicable performance standards must be maintained.

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Should you have any questions, please contact the Division
at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,



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