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January 21, 1987

Mr. D. Wayne Hedberg  
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
355 West North Temple  
3 Triad Center, Suite 350  
Salt Lake City, UT 84180-1203

Re: NOV No. N85-4-15-1  
Sedimentation Pond Modification  
Final Construction Report  
Soldier Canyon Mine  
ACT/007/018

Dear Mr. Hedberg:

Enclosed please find four copies of our final construction report for our sedimentation pond modification. This information has been upgraded and is being resubmitted pursuant to your December 30, 1986 letter.

The Division's recent Technical Analysis (TA) of our Permit Application Package (PAP), has identified questions concerning the adequacy of past hydrologic design. These questions involve not only the sedimentation pond but all existing runoff diversions. It is my understanding, following recent telephone conversations with you and Mr. Dave Cline, that additional hydrologic design information will be required in response to the TA. Submittal of this additional information will, however, not be considered as a condition to final abatement approval for NOV No. N85-4-15-1. Therefore, since the original concerns of the NOV (i.e., proper embankment top widths and side slope gradients) have been adequately addressed, Soldier Creek Coal Company requests that Division proceed with the final approval for the abatement of NOV No. N85-4-15-1.

Mr. D. Wayne Hedberg  
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Upon approval of the enclosed report, the necessary number of copies of the report will be submitted for direct incorporation into our PAP.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

SOLDIER CREEK COAL COMPANY

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Dave Spillman".

David G. Spillman  
Mining Engineer

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Enclosures