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September 22, 1987

Mr. Tom Paluso, Chief Engineer  
Soldier Creek Coal Company  
P. O. Box I  
Price, Utah 84501

Dear Mr. Paluso:

Re: Approval of PAP Amendment, Change in Mine Plan Subsidence Monitoring Program, Soldier Creek Coal Company, Soldier Canyon Mine, ACT/007/018-87A, Folder No. 3, Carbon County, Utah

The Division has completed its review of Soldier Creek Coal Company's (SCCC) proposal to revise the subsidence monitoring plan for the Soldier Canyon Mine, received August 14, 1987. The operator will now conduct annual transit and pedestrian surveys of potential subsidence areas instead of the proposed aerial surveys.

We have determined that the plans and methods to be used will meet the monitoring requirements established under UMC 784.20(b)(3)(v) of the Utah Coal Mining and Reclamation Regulations. The Division hereby grants its approval of this permit amendment. The revised change will now be inserted into the approved Permit Application Package (PAP) on file with this office.

We appreciated working with your staff. Thank you for your cooperation in completing this permitting action. Please contact us if we can provide further assistance.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg  
Data Management Coordinator

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