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Ladies and Gentlemen:

Re: Notice of Permit Approval - ACT/007/018, Folder No. 3, Carbon County, Utah

Enclosed is a Notice of Permit Revision Approval rendered by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, Department of Natural Resources, state of Utah.

It is requested that this notice be published ONCE ONLY, as soon as possible.

Upon completion of this request, please send proof of publication and statement of cost to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, 3 Triad Center, Suite 350, 355 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203.

Sincerely,

Lowell P. Braxton
Associate Director, Mining

Enclosures

cc: D. Haddock
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NOTICE OF PERMIT APPROVAL

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Utah Coal Mining and Reclamation Act (Utah Code Annotated 1953, Section 40-10-1 et seq), and the "Regulations Pertaining to Surface Effects of Underground Coal Mining Activities" (Final Rules of the Utah Board of Oil, Gas and Mining), the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining has issued a revised permit which includes the relocation of approximately 1,200 feet of County Road 53 and 6.4 acres of additional disturbance to Soldier Creek Coal Company, for its permit application No. ACT/007/018. The Company will conduct mining activities in accordance with the approved Mining and Reclamation Plan for Soldier Canyon Mine.

The disturbance associated with this revision will occur within Soldier Creek Coal Company's current permit area. No new acreage is added to the permit area as a result of this revision.

The revised permit was issued by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining on July 19, 1991. A copy of the permit and the Decision Document is on file at the following location:

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
3 Triad Center, Suite 350
355 West North Temple
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Anyone having comments pertaining to the Soldier Canyon Mine should contact Dr. Dianne R. Nielson, Director, Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, at the address referenced above.



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Re: Notification of Permit Approval, Soldier Creek Coal Company, Soldier Canyon Mine, Road Relocation and Surface Facilities Expansion, ACT/007/018-91-1, Folder No. 3, Carbon County, Utah

The Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (Division) is granting approval and issuing a revised mining permit to Soldier Creek Coal Company for the relocation of 1,200 feet of County Road 53 and the addition of 6.4 acres of disturbance at the Soldier Creek Canyon Mine. The Division has determined that the permit application is technically complete and demonstrates compliance with all the "Regulations Pertaining to Surface Effects of Underground Coal Mining Activities, Final Rules of the Utah Board and Division of Oil, Gas and Mining," promulgated under the Utah Coal Mining Reclamation Act (Utah Code Annotated 1953, Section 40-10-1 et seq.).

Notice is hereby given to all appropriate agencies and individuals having jurisdiction over, or an interest in the area of the proposed operations, pursuant to R614-300-152 that a revised permit has been issued to said permittee.

This permit authorizes the permittee, Soldier Creek Coal Company, to conduct underground mining activities on the described lands within the approved permit area at the Soldier Canyon Mine, situated in the state of Utah, County of Carbon, subject to the terms of the approved Mining and Reclamation Plan, this permit, and all applicable laws and regulations. The disturbance associated with this revision will occur within Soldier Creek Coal Company's current permit area. No new acreage is added to the permit area as a result of this revision.

Individuals wishing to review the complete plan and decision documents, or submit comments in response to this decision and notice, should direct written requests to the Division.

Sincerely,

Lowell P. Braxton
Associate Director, Mining

cc: D. Haddock

**SOLDIER CANYON MINE
NOTIFICATION PERMIT APPROVAL
MAILING LIST**

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