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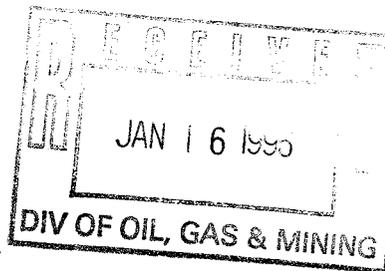
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January 12, 1996

CERTIFIED MAIL  
(Return Receipt Requested)

David G. Spillman, Senior Engineer  
Soldier Creek Coal Company  
P.O. Box 1029  
Wellington, Utah 84542

*Route to ~~David~~ ad Joe,  
New file #21/007/018  
#2*

Dear Mr. Spillman:

Subject: Permit UT0023680, Soldier Creek Coal Company, Soldier Canyon Mine

Enclosed is UPDES permit No. UT0023680 for your facility. Copies of EPA form 3320-1, Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) forms, for reporting and self-monitoring requirements as specified in the permit, will be sent as soon as printed. This permit will become effective on April 1, 1996, subject to the right of appeal in accordance with the provisions of *Utah Administrative Code*, Sections R317-8-6.11 and R317-8-6.13.

A fee schedule was included in the Utah Department of Environmental Quality Budget appropriation request at the direction of the Legislature and in accordance with *Utah Coded Annotated* 19-1-201. The fee schedule, as approved by the legislature, includes a prescribed fee for specific Industrial Categories. The prescribed fee for a Minor Coal Mining and Preparation category, Utah Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit is \$ 3,600.00 Please remit \$ 3,600.00 within 30 days from receipt of this letter to:

Dept. of Environmental Quality  
Division of Water Quality  
Attn: Rose Griffin  
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Also, as the State agency charged with the administration of issuing UPDES Permits, we are continuously looking for ways to improve our quality of service to you. In effort to improve the State UPDES permitting process we are asking for your input. Since our customer permittee base is limited, your input is important. Please take a few moments to complete the enclosed questionnaire and return it in the postage paid, self-addressed return envelope. The results will be used to improve our quality and responsiveness to our permittees and give us feed back on customer satisfaction. We will address the issues you have identified on an ongoing basis.

If you have any questions with regard to this matter, please contact Steven McNeal at (801) 538-6075.

Sincerely,



Donald A. Hilden, Ph.D., Manager  
Permits and Compliance Section

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Enclosures

cc: Judy Kobus-Fisk, EPA, Region VIII w/encl.  
Claron D. Bjork, Southeastern Utah District Health Dept.  
Dave Ariotti, District Engineer  
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