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## Memorandum

To: Chief, Federal Lands Branch, Western Support Center, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Brooks Tower, 2nd Floor, 1020 15th Street, Denver, Colorado 80202

From: District Manager

Subject: Resource Recovery and Protection Plan (R2P2) Review, Centennial Mine, Andalex Resources, Carbon County, Utah

The Bureau of Land Management has received and reviewed the R2P2 for Federal coal lease U-69600, AMCA Coal Leasing, Inc., lessee, and Andalex Resources, Inc., operator. The R2P2 is part of the mining plan to add this lease to the Centennial Mine permit. We have determined that the R2P2 complies with the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended, the regulations at 43 CFR 3480, the lease terms and conditions, and will achieve maximum economic recovery of the Federal coal.

The lands above the Federal coal lease have been determined suitable for mining pursuant to the unsuitability analysis found at 43 CFR 3461. The mine plan is in conformance with the current land use plan, the Price River Management Framework Plan.

We therefore recommend that the mining plan be approved. If you have any questions, please contact Gary Johnson, Chief - Price Coal Office, at (801) 259-4584.

/s/ Roger Zortman

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