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Mr. John Baza, Director
Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
Box 145801
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

Dear Mr. Baza:

Enclosed is a copy of a public notice of availability for a modification to the Aberdeen Logical Mining Unit (LMU). The modification consists of a relinquished area comprised of 1,986.24 acres contained in Federal coal leases SL-027304, SL-063058, UTU-010581, UTU-66060, and UTU-79975. The modification is located in Carbon County.

According to 43 CFR 3481.2, a notice of availability for any proposed modification to a LMU shall be sent to the surface and coal owners and to appropriate Federal and State agencies. If you have any questions or comments regarding this LMU modification, please send them within 30 days of receipt of this letter to:

Bureau of Land Management
Utah State Office
Deputy State Director, Lands and Minerals
440 West 200 South, Suite 500
Salt Lake City, Utah 84101-1345

Sincerely,

Kent Hoffman
Deputy State Director
Division of Lands and Minerals

Enclosure:

1. Notice of Availability (2pp)

PUBLIC NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

The Utah State Office of the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) has received an Application from UtahAmerican Energy Inc., 794 N. "C" Canyon Road, Box 910 East Carbon, Utah 84520, for a modification to the Aberdeen Logical Mining Unit (LMU) in accordance with 43 CFR 3487.

The modification is related to an application for the partial relinquishment of Federal coal leases SL-027304, SL-063058, UTU-010581, UTU-69600, and the relinquishment of Federal coal lease UTU-79975, which was approved on August 20, 2013. Based on these partial relinquishments UtahAmerican Energy Inc. wants to modify the Aberdeen Logical Mining Unit (LMU), UTU- 73865. The proposed LMU modification is available for review at the BLM, Utah State Office, 440 West 200 South, Suite 500, Salt Lake City, Utah.

The LMU modification would withdraw portions of the lands contained in Federal coal leases SL-027304, SL-063058, UTU-010581, and UTU-69600, and all of lease UTU-79975 from the LMU. The description of the lands contained within the modified area to be released from the Aberdeen LMU is as follows:

<u>Lease Number</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Land Description</u>
SL-027304	80.00	T. 13 S., R. 11 E., SLM, Utah Sec. 7, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
SL-063058	240.00	T. 13 S., R. 11 E., SLM, Utah Sec. 8, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$; Sec. 17, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$; Sec. 18, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$;
UTU-010581	677.16	T. 13 S., R. 11 E., SLM, Utah Sec. 5, lots 4 and 5; Sec. 6, lots 1,2,7, and 8; Sec. 7, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$; Sec. 8, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$; Sec. 17, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$;

UTU-66069

566.35

T. 12 S., R. 11 E., SLM, Utah
Sec. 31, lots 3-5, 12-18, and 21;
Sec. 32, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$;
T. 13 S., R. 10 E., SLM, Utah
Sec. 1, lots 1-3;

UTU-79975

422.73

T. 12 S., R. 11 E., SLM, Utah
Sec. 29, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 30, lots 4, 14-16;
Sec. 31, lots 1,2, 7-11;
Sec. 32, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$.

Total Acres: 1,986.24



Kent Hoffman
Deputy State Director,
Division of Lands and Minerals