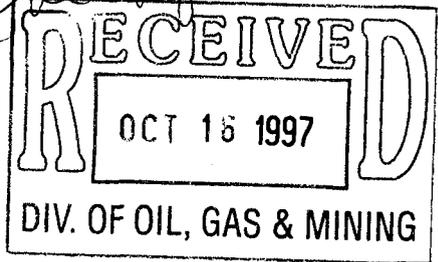


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October 14, 1997

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Subject: Extension of Submittal Date, Notice of Violation N97-45-1-1,
Permit No. ACT/007/020
Horizon Coal Corporation, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Robert,

We request an extension for the submittal of the data requested in Notice of Violation N97-45-1-1 from October 15, 1997 to November 3, 1997.

While compiling the survey data to make the new base map, discrepancies have been discovered concerning the placement of the Consumer/Clear Creek Road. Additional data needs to be collected next week to address these discrepancies.

We are attempting to resolve the discrepancies through conversations with personnel on the site, but are not currently comfortable with the information.

Thank you for your assistance in this extension.

Sincerely yours,

Vicky Bailey
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cc: Joe Helfrich
Bill Malencik
Michael Gipson
Larry Jones