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Subject: Post Mining Land Use Change, Canyon Fuel Company, LLC, Banning Siding Loadout, C/007/0034, Task ID #2247, Outgoing File

Dear Mr. Sass:

Enclosed is the Division's review for the Banning Loadout Post-Mining Land Use Change. The Division reviewed the amendment under Task #2247.

Before the Division can approve this amendment, the Permittee must provide the information outlined in the enclosed deficiency list, in accordance with the R645 Coal Mining Rules cited. For clarification or more information, you can contact Wayne Western, the Division specialist who wrote the deficiencies, at (801) 538-5263.

Draft Technical Memos and a draft TA have been prepared, but final versions of these documents will not be prepared until all technical deficiencies have been resolved.

In order for us to continue to process your application, please respond to these deficiencies by November 12, 2005.

If you have any questions, please call me at (801) 538-5268 or Dana Dean at (801) 538-5320.

Sincerely,

Pamela Grubaugh-Littig
Permit Supervisor

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TECHNICAL DEFICIENCIES

R645-301-542.200, CFC must include two reclamation maps into the MRP, one map would be for reclamation under the approved plan and the second for reclamation if the postmining land use is implemented. At a minimum, each map should be at a scale of 1 inch equal 50 feet, which is the scale for the current surface facilities map. The map for the alternative postmining land use must show the final reclamation contours and how the drainages at the site blend into the drainages at the CO₂ plant site.

R645-301-830, The Permittee must use the correct unit costs for the mulch. The Division has updated the revegetation costs with the updated information. A copy of the Division's cost is available upon request.

R645-301-121.200, The Permittee must either remove the reference to the bare root and containerized stock in Table 3-2 or include detailed information about the materials in Chapter 3 and in the bond calculations.