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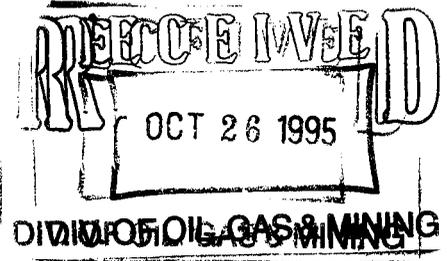
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RE: Request for Agency Review, Willow Creek Permit Application Package, Willow Creek Mine, Cyprus Plateau Mining Corporation, PRO/007/038, Folder #2, Carbon County, Utah

In Reply Please Refer to Case No. 95-0817

Jopy Ann Aaron

Dear Ms. Grubaugh-Littig:

The Utah State Historic Preservation Office received the above referenced permit application package on October 19, 1995. After consideration of cultural resource material in section 1 and 3, the Utah Preservation Office has the following comments for consideration.

1. The background information material completed by the cultural and paleontological is accurate and well done. Our office had a chance to review most of the material as it was being developed for the mine plan. Our office concurs with the accuracy of the material.
2. As you are aware, site 42CB 1000 is a complex site, with its significance tied to not only to the physical structure of the mine, but the importance of the whole site in Utah History. As you know our office has reviewed some of the plans that may effect the mine. I believes that a determination of No Adverse Effect can be reached if sensitive treatment of the mine property is considered during the opening of the mine. The Castle Gate explosion would a focus of our concern, and our office recommends that this area not be reused.
3. It appears that the other sites would not be effected by the mine plan.

This information is provided on request to assist DOGM with its Section 106 responsibilities as specified in 36CFR800. If you have questions, please contact me at (801) 533-3555. My computer address on internet is: jdykman@email.state.ut.us

Your humble servant,

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