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Johnny Pappas, Sr. Environmental Engineer
Cyprus Plateau Mining Corporation
847 Northwest, Highway 191
Helper, UT 84526

Re: Release of Exploration Bond on Fee Land, Willow Creek Mine, Cyprus Plateau Mining Corporation, ACT/007/038, Folder #3, Carbon County, Utah

John
Dear Mr. Pappas:

The Division hereby releases the bond for exploration permit, EXP/007/038. This permit was terminated on May 17, 1996, see attached memo from Steve Demczak. All areas have been reclaimed as required in the exploration permit, except the areas at and around the rock tunnels. The rock tunnel areas are used in the transportation of coal for the Willow Creek Mine and are included in that permit.

Surety Traveler's Insurance Company

Surety Bond #64S100767004BCA

Amount \$55,000

If you have any questions, please call Pamela Grubaugh-Littig at 801-538-5268.

Sincerely,

Lowell
Lowell P. Braxton
Director

Enclosure

cc: PFO

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May 17, 1996

To: File

From: Stephen J. Demczak, Reclamation Specialist *sd*

RE: Exploration Permit Termination, Blackhawk Site Exploration, Cyprus Plateau Mining Company, EXP/007/038, Folder #3, Carbon County, Utah

The Blackhawk Exploration Permit EXP/007/038 is hereby cancelled as of May 17, 1996. The exploration site had its last inspection under the exploration permit as of May 14, 1996.

All areas have been reclaimed as required in the Blackhawk Exploration Permit, except the areas at and around the rock tunnels. These areas are less than one acre and are now included in the approved Willow Creek Permit ACT/007/038. They will be reclaimed and inspected under the requirements of the new permit ACT/007/038 and the R645 regulations. The rock tunnel areas will be used in the transportation of coal for the active mine.

sd

cc: B. Grimes
J. Helfrich
P. Grubaugh-Littig

