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Mark Scanlon, Senior Geologist  
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Re: Minor Coal Exploration, Canyon Fuel Company, LLC, Dugout Canyon Mine, ACT/007/039-EXP99B, File #2, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Scanlon:

Thank you for the opportunity to clarify the deficiencies outlined in the June 30 response to your exploration proposal. The referenced exploration plan is approved with the following stipulation:

At the time of reclamation representatives from Canyon Fuel Company LLC will confer with Division staff to determine the locations and type of mulch, (straw or hay), to be used for reclamation.

A stamped approved incorporated copy of your exploration plan is enclosed. If you have any questions, please call.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Joseph C. Helfrich".

Joseph C. Helfrich  
Permit Supervisor

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Enclosure

cc: Chris Hansen, Scofield  
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