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January 7, 2003

Ms. Pamela Grubaugh-Littig
Department of Natural Resources
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
1594 West North Temple
Suite 1210
Salt Lake City, UT 84114-5801

*Response to
Deficiencies
Mining
C/007/039*

RE: Refuse Pile Amendment, Response to Technical Analysis, C/007/039 -SR02D-7.1
Canyon Fuel Company, LLC, Dugout Mine, C/007/039

Dear Ms. Grubaugh-Littig:

Enclosed please find four copies of the submittal to address the deficiencies associated with the Technical Analysis, dated October 24, 2002.

We have prepared a cross reference noting where each deficiency is address within the submittal or in a previous submittal. The cross reference is included with each of the copies, as are the C-1, C-2 forms and cover letter.

An additional copy of the submittal has been delivered to the Price Field Office.

Please contact Vicky Miller at (435) 636-2869 if there are any question concerning this submittal.

Sincerely yours,

Vicky S. Miller

Cc: Chris Hansen (no enclosures)
Dave Spillman (enclosures)
Steve Demczak (enclosures)

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

APPLICATION FOR COAL PERMIT PROCESSING

Permit Change New Permit Renewal Exploration Bond Release Transfer

Permittee: Canyon Fuel Company, LLC

Mine: Dugout Canyon Mine

Permit Number: C/007/039

Title: Response to Deficiencies

Description, Include reason for application and timing required to implement:

Instructions: If you answer yes to any of the first eight (gray) questions, this application may require Public Notice publication.

- Yes No 1. Change in the size of the Permit Area? Acres: 26.8 Disturbed Area: 26.8 increase decrease.
- Yes No 2. Is the application submitted as a result of a Division Order? DO# _____
- Yes No 3. Does the application include operations outside a previously identified Cumulative Hydrologic Impact Area?
- Yes No 4. Does the application include operations in hydrologic basins other than as currently approved?
- Yes No 5. Does the application result from cancellation, reduction or increase of insurance or reclamation bond?
- Yes No 6. Does the application require or include public notice publication?
- Yes No 7. Does the application require or include ownership, control, right-of-entry, or compliance information?
- Yes No 8. Is proposed activity within 100 feet of a public road or cemetery or 300 feet of an occupied dwelling?
- Yes No 9. Is the application submitted as a result of a Violation? NOV # _____
- Yes No 10. Is the application submitted as a result of other laws or regulations or policies?
Explain: _____
- Yes No 11. Does the application affect the surface landowner or change the post mining land use?
- Yes No 12. Does the application require or include underground design or mine sequence and timing? (Modification of R2P2)
- Yes No 13. Does the application require or include collection and reporting of any baseline information?
- Yes No 14. Could the application have any effect on wildlife or vegetation outside the current disturbed area?
- Yes No 15. Does the application require or include soil removal, storage or placement?
- Yes No 16. Does the application require or include vegetation monitoring, removal or revegetation activities?
- Yes No 17. Does the application require or include construction, modification, or removal of surface facilities?
- Yes No 18. Does the application require or include water monitoring, sediment or drainage control measures?
- Yes No 19. Does the application require or include certified designs, maps or calculation?
- Yes No 20. Does the application require or include subsidence control or monitoring?
- Yes No 21. Have reclamation costs for bonding been provided?
- Yes No 22. Does the application involve a perennial stream, a stream buffer zone or discharges to a stream?
- Yes No 23. Does the application affect permits issued by other agencies or permits issued to other entities?

Please attach four (4) review copies of the application. If the mine is on or adjacent to Forest Service land please submit five (5) copies, thank you. (These numbers include a copy for the Price Field Office)

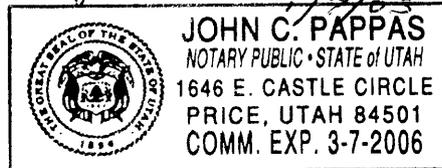
I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments, undertakings, and obligations, herein.

David G. Spillman
Print Name

D. G. Spillman, Engineering Manager
Sign Name, Position, Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of JANUARY, 2003

John C. Pappas
Notary Public



My commission Expires: MARCH 7, 2006 }
Attest: State of UTAH } ss:
County of CARBON

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