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August 16, 2010

Erwin Sass, General Manager  
Canyon Fuel Company, LLC  
P.O. Box 1029  
Wellington, Utah 84542

Subject: Degas Well G-30, Task ID #3601, Canyon Fuel Company, LLC, Dugout Canyon Mine, C/007/0039

Dear Mr. Sass:

The above-referenced amendment is conditionally approved upon receipt of 6 clean copies prepared for incorporation. Please submit the clean copies no later than September 16, 2010. Once we receive these copies, final approval will be granted, at which time you may proceed with your plans.

A stamped incorporated copy of the approved plans will also be returned to you at that time, for insertion into your copy of the Mining and Reclamation Plan.

Based upon the technical review of the soil information that was provided, the top eight inches of surface soil should be salvaged as topsoil during the construction of the pad.

If you have any questions, please call me at (801) 538-5262 or Steve Christensen at (801) 538-5350.

Sincerely,

James D. Smith  
Permit Supervisor

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cc: Price Field Office  
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