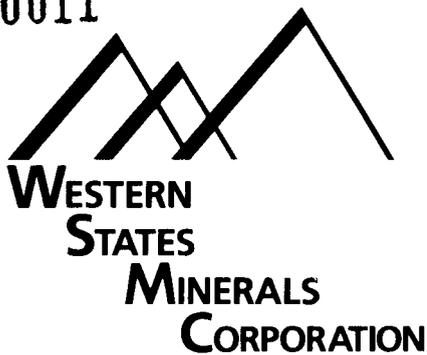


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Subject: Reclamation Summary for Five year Permit
Renewal, J.B. King Mine, INA/015/002

Dear Pam:

Please find enclosed four copies of the requested reclamation summary for the J.B. King Mine. They are to be inserted into Section UMC 784.13 of the Mine and Reclamation Plan. The summary details the reclamation performed in the fall of 1985 and the spring of 1986 plus the maintenance and repair work performed during subsequent years.

As you are aware, the J.B. King Mine was one of the first mines to be reclaimed in the arid region of southern Utah. As with most "early model" editions, the reclamation contained several design deficiencies which have required more than the normal share of repair and maintenance. Despite these shortcomings, we believe that the reclamation has been successful. The reclaimed area blends very well into the surrounding terrain and provides a preferred source of forage and water for wildlife and cattle grazing. It is believed that with continued minor maintenance work and a return to a normal precipitation cycle that the site will continue to mature and will reach a level of stability consistent with the surrounding area.

Sincerely,

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Environmental Engineer

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