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August 27, 1980

Mr. James W. Smith, Jr.
State of Utah
Dept. of Natural Resources
Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining
1588 West North Temple
Salt Lake City, Utah 84116



Dear Mr. Smith:

I am in receipt of your letter dated July 31, 1980. You have requested detailed plans be submitted by August 29, 1980, with implementation of plans by October 28, 1980.

The three areas of non-compliance are:

1. The refuse pile between the upper portal and sediment pond.

This pile is currently being hauled away. Upon completion of removal the area will be reseeded to specifications established by the Forest Service and Soil Conservation. This will be completed by October 28, 1980.

2. Adequate sizing, sealing and de-watering devices for the existing sediment pond.

I have enclosed a copy of a letter concerning this problem. No correspondence has been received from your division concerning these plans, however, construction was started on August 25, 1980 based on the approval enclosed.

3. Installation of 2 culverts, one at each access point from the existing Forest Service road to the Trail Mountain Mine to adequately contain runoff as required by the Regulatory Authority.

The requested culvert has been ordered as specified in previous correspondence as 96 inch culvert. Delivery of culvert will be 4-6 weeks. It is therefore requested that an extension be granted to allow us

30 days after delivery to install the
pipe.

Please feel free to contact me if there are any questions.

Very truly yours,

David R. Mills

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Mining Engineer

cc: Tom Rice
Howard Tuttle, Johansen & Tuttle

Enclosure

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RE: Sedimentation Pond

Dear Mr. Rice:

We have reviewed the March 1980 Johansen and Tuttle engineering plan for the Trail Mountain Coal Co. sedimentation pond outlet control structure. This outlet is to provide for emergency overflow and water level control in the existing pond near Cottonwood Creek, Emery County. Additional sediment control facilities are expected later this year in a joint project with the Utah Power and Light Cottonwood Portal.

As a result of our review, the plans for the Trail Mountain Coal Co. sedimentation pond outlet are approved and a construction permit issued provided:

1. Appropriate oil skimming devices are provided.
2. The sediment level is maintained at least 3 feet below the outlet.

The wastewater flow through the 6 inch outlet and emergency overflow will enter a manhole and then discharge through an 18 inch pipe. Riprap is also to be provided at the creek.

Additional treatment must be provided if this fails to meet state or federal discharge requirements.

Sincerely,

UTAH WATER POLLUTION COMMITTEE

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Executive Secretary

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