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July 31, 1980

REGISTERED - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Dan Hanna  
Trail Mountain Coal Company  
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RE: DIVISION DIRECTIVE  
Trail Mountain Mine  
Permanent Compliance Schedule  
ACT/015/009

Dear Mr. Hanna:

In reference to the three areas that are presently not in compliance pending Utah Power and Light's activities at the Cottonwood Portal, the Division hereby directs the Trail Mountain Coal Company to submit detailed plans for compliance within 30 days (August 29, 1980), and complete implementation of said plans within 90 days (October 28, 1980). Failure to do so will constitute a violation of a Board order resulting in subsequent civil penalties..

The three areas not in compliance are:

1. The refuse pile between the upper portal access road and sediment pond.
2. Adequate sizing, sealing and de-watering devices for the existing sediment pond.
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.

It is the Division's opinion that plans be submitted under the Permanent Program as requirements are for the most part synonymous to the Interim Program and compliance under said program would be most beneficial to the Trail Mountain Coal Company upon final approval of the Division's Permanent Program submittal to the Office of Surface Mining.

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Present plans submitted to the Division are inadequate, as proposed locations for sediment control facilities are too great a distance from existing surface facilities thus creating additional surface disturbance. Proposed berms are adequate on a temporary basis only, resulting in continuous maintenance and subsequent violations. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Division.

Sincerely,

JAMES W. SMITH, JR.  
COORDINATOR OF MINED LAND DEVELOPMENT

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