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September 23, 1983

State of Utah  
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
4242 State Office Building  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

Attention: Dave Lof

Dear Dave:

In early August of 1982, we contacted the D.O.G.M. to get approval to use the area just north of the bath house as a borrow area. The fill from the borrow area was to be used as fill material in the construction and installation of 2,000 feet of 66 inch culvert in the Cottonwood Creek adjacent to Trail Mountain's mine property.

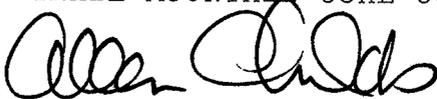
The construction was in two phases, late August of 1982 to November of 1982 and June of 1983 to September of 1983.

In early August of 1982, I contacted the Division of Oil, Gas and mining and requested that Trail Mountain be able to use the area north of the bath house as a borrow area.

The division in turn sent several representatives down to physically inspect the area and retrieve information from Trail Mountain as to our plans for the use of the borrow area, reclamation of the proposed borrow area, etc. Several days after the site inspection, verbal approval was given to use the area in question as a borrow area.

Sincerely;

TRAIL MOUNTAIN COAL COMPANY

Allen Childs  
Engineer

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