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October 17, 1983

Mr. Allen Childs
Natomas Trail Mountain Coal Company
P.O. Box 551
Orangeville, Utah 84537

RE: Determination of Adequacy
(DOA) Trail Mountain Mine
Natomas Coal Company
ACT/015/009, Folder #2
Emery County, Utah

Dear Mr. Childs:

Enclosed is a copy of the determination of adequacy (DOA) review including the previously received hydrologic aspects, prepared for the Trail Mountain Mine permit application package, by the OSM contractor, Simons Li and Associates, Inc. OSM has also reviewed the document for bonding, vegetation, soils, and wildlife. In particular, the vegetation and reclamation sections should be reviewed carefully because of their particular significance in this application.

Please note that the response must be received at OSM no later than November 21, 1983. The final determination of completeness will be made by OSM based on the material provided on November 21. If the material is determined to be incomplete, the permit application will be returned to the applicant and authority to operate under administrative delay will be terminated. If the permit application is found to be complete, public notice may begin and OSM will proceed with the technical analysis.

If you have any questions, please call me or Pamela Grubaugh-Littig of my staff.

Sincerely,

JAMES W. SMITH, JR.
COORDINATOR OF MINED
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