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Mr. James Smith
 Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
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 Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

Dear Mr. Smith:

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Enclosed please find four copies of the final report entitled "Cumulative Hydrologic Impact Assessment, Cottonwood Creek, Emery County, Utah".

This CHIA final report incorporates assessment of the Wilberg, Des-Bee-Dove and Trail Mountain mines. The report was structured so that it could be readily revised to incorporate and assess the effects of additional proposed mine plans or mine plan revisions on the hydrologic balance.

Subsidence is an issue which was not originally identified to be included in the CHIAs. However, subsidence-related impacts have been identified as the single most important and controversial issue of the proposed mining. Substantial material regarding potential impacts related to subsidence is therefore incorporated into this CHIA report.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Scott Grace or Walt Swain of my staff at (303) 837-3806.

Sincerely,

Walter Swain
 for Steve Manger,
 Utah Task Force Leader

Enclosures

cc: Wayne Hedberg
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