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Mr. Dan Guy, Manager
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Dear Mr. Guy:

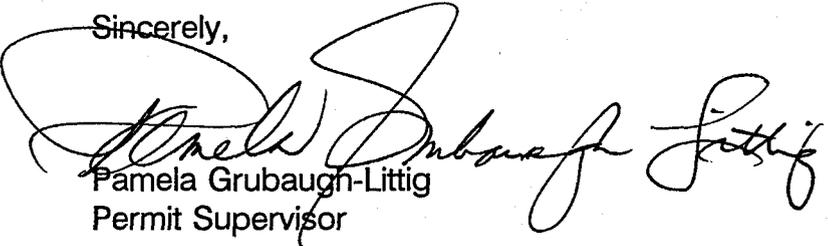
Re: Special Condition (R614-301-731.200) Water Monitoring, Federal Lease Tract, Trail Mountain Mine, Mountain Coal Company, ACT/015/009, Folder #2, Emery County, Utah

The response letter the Division received November 27, 1991, regarding the above-noted special condition, does not satisfy the intent nor the requirements of the condition.

The original intent of the condition, i.e. to have a well constructed to collect water information, remains in effect. Therefore, it is incumbent upon Mountain Coal Company to propose a location for the well where data can be collected. This point should be located down gradient of an area to be mined in the near future (i.e. two or three years). The location and details of the drilling plan need to be finalized (drilling methods, completion plan, monitoring frequency, parameter list, etc) as soon as possible.

A detailed proposal must be submitted by January 27, 1992, so that as soon as weather permits, work can be started.

Sincerely,


Pamela Grubaugh-Littig
Permit Supervisor