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RE: Extension Request for Submittal of Mid-Term Review Deficiencies, PacifiCorp, Trail Mountain Mine, C/015/009-MT02, Emery County, Utah.

Energy West Mining Company requests an extension of 30 days for submitting responses to the deficiencies received for the Trail Mountain Mine mid-term review. A deficiency was received on an inadequate reclamation bond. The current bond is for \$1,000,000. The Division's estimate for the site is \$1,091,611. The cost in 2007 dollars is \$1,254,000, which is 5% over the current bond. The Division is requiring Energy West to increase the bond to \$1,254,000.

Interwest Mining Company (mining division managing agent) is currently in the process of switching surety companies. To keep permit information current and correct, the extension is needed. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this request, please contact Dennis Oakley at (435) 687-4825.

Sincerely,

Dennis Oakley
for Chuck Semborski
Geology/Permitting Supervisor

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