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Subject: Confidential and Protected Information, PacifiCorp, Trail Mountain Mine, C015/0009, Task ID #2236, Outgoing File

Dear Mr. Semborski:

The above-referenced amendment has been reviewed. One deficiency that must be addressed before approval is the removal of archeological data (see R645-300-124.330.) On page 5-5 of the MRP, there is a list of artifacts that were described but not collected. You must remove the list and the reference to specific items (chart flakes, scraper fragment, knife base and basin matote) and place that information in the confidential binder. On the replacement page, you must state that there is information in the confidential binder.

In addition to the information that the R645 – Rules require be held confidential, there is some information that the Permittee may request be held confidential. That information is as follows:

- Information that pertains only to the analysis of the chemical and physical properties of the coal to be mined, except information on components of such coal which are potentially toxic in the environment. See R645-300-124.310.
- Information in the detailed mine plan as described in R645-301-525.240.

If you want any of that information placed in the confidential file please include your request in the deficiency response.

In order for us to continue to process your application, please respond to these deficiencies by September 30, 2005.

If you have any questions, please call me at (801) 538-5268 or Wayne Western at (801) 538-5263.

Sincerely,

Pamela Grubauch-Littig
Permit Supervisor

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