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TO: File and Inspection Staff

FROM: Sally Kefer, Reclamation Hydrologist SK

SUBJECT: Pump Test, Consolidated Coal, ACT/015/015

DATE: December 23, 1981

In a telephone conversation with Mr. Dave Shuyler, permit coordinator for Consolidated Coal Company, a request was made for verbal approval to conduct a pump test at the Emery Deep Mine.

The location of the well is adjacent to the recently approved bathhouse near the general offices. The well will be pumped at a rate of 150 gpm for 24 hours. Data on the quantity and quality of the aquifer will be obtained during the test.

Mr. Fred Pearson, a public health engineer in the Bureau of Water Pollution Control, reviewed and approved a plan for the pump test which was submitted by Consol.

Mr. Shuyler requested permission to begin the pump test even though the plan had not yet been submitted to the Division.

Since the pump test was to occur on a predisturbed area with the discharge directed over a riprapped embankment of Quitchupah Creek, I granted a verbal approval with the stipulation that Consol submit the same pump test plans and results to the Division as were/will be submitted to the Bureau of Water Pollution Control. The plans will be submitted by January 3, 1982.

SK/btb

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