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REGARDING: Utah Power and Light Company, Des-Bee-Dove Mines
ACT/015/017, Sediment Pond Access Road
Abatement Plan Implementation (NOV N85-2-22-1)

Dear Mr. Hedberg:

Your letter of March 24, 1986, establishes a date of July 31, 1986 for implementation of the above mentioned plan. Based on the following information, I respectfully request a delay in said implementation.

As you are aware, the mining operations at the Utah Power and Light Company mines have ceased temporarily. This has enabled construction projects, scheduled for miners vacation (June 28th - July 13th), to be started earlier than originally scheduled. Because of the uncertain timing of resumption of operations, the company has chosen to reschedule major mine-site and off-mine construction projects.

One major project thus affected is the Surface Drainage Collection System at the Des-Bee-Dove Mines. Work on this project, originally scheduled for vacation, began on June 16th. It is anticipated that the project will be completed August 15th.

Rescheduling the Surface Drainage Collection System project in turn affects the Sediment Pond Access Road project. This project, originally scheduled to begin in June, will now be started in mid-August with completion estimated in early to mid-September.

Rescheduling these projects will enable us to complete a major portion of the mine-site project with minimal disruption of mine-related activities.

Your consideration and assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated. Please call me if you have questions or comments or require further information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Val Payne". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "V" and "P".

Val Payne
Environmental Engineer

cc: Mark Craig
Chris Shingleton
Scott Child
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