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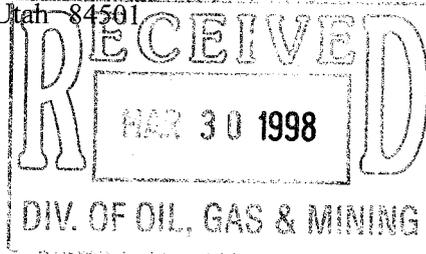
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Mr. Lowell Braxton  
Utah Coal Regulatory Program  
P. O. Box 145801  
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Re: Postmining Land Use for the Des-Bee-Dove Haul Road, Acquisition of the Road Right-of-way by Emery County-- PacifiCorp, Des-Bee-Dove Mine ACT(015/017, Emery County, Utah

Dear Mr. Braxton:

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Energy West Mining Company has proposed transferring a coal haul road under BLM right-of-way UTU-50148 to Emery County, a political subdivision of the state of Utah. Emery County and Energy West Mining Company apparently have entered into a right-of-way transfer agreement dated March 18, 1998.

The Bureau of Land Management has no objection to the transfer of this right-of-way to Emery County. However, we will not recognize the transfer until Emery County files an application to assign the subject right-of-way and a decision has been made to approve the assignment. The proposed postmining land use change from a coal haul road to an Emery County road is acceptable to BLM.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Mark Mackiewicz of my staff at (435) 636-3600.

Sincerely,

Thomas E. Rasmussen  
Acting Field Manager

cc: Scott M. Child, Interwest Mining Company