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Chuck Semborski, Environmental Supervisor
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Re: Conditional Approval for Amendments to Update Officers with Scottish Power Merger, PacifiCorp, Trail Mountain Mine, ACT/015/009-99A, Des-Bee-Dove Mine, ACT/015/017-99A, Deer Creek Mine, ACT/015/018-99E, Cottonwood/Wilberg Mine, ACT/015/019-99C, Folder #3, Emery County, Utah

Dear Mr. Semborski:

This letter conditionally approves the changes in the officers submitted to the Division on August 20, 1999, depending upon the consummation of the merger of PacifiCorp with Scottish Power. These changes will become effective upon receipt of the merger documents to the Division, which should be the date of the merger.

It is our understanding that PacifiCorp will be a wholly-owned subsidiary of Scottish Power. PacifiCorp will retain all of the assets and thus remain the permittee for the four above-noted mines. Energy West Mining Company will also remain as the operator of these mines.

If you have any questions or concerns about this conditional approval, please call me.

Sincerely,

Pamela Grubaugh-Littig
Permit Supervisor

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