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September 6, 1979

MEMORANDUM

TO: Hugh Montgomery
Chief, Division of Abandoned Mined Lands

FROM: Gary Fritz
Reclamation Specialist, I&E

RE: Response to request for additional information and verification from Utah about NOV 79-V-5-10 Violation #2 assessment conference of September 5, 1979.

Mike Thompson, Utah Oil, Gas and Mining Inspector indicated:

1. The sign was an old one, it did have the old subcontractors' name on it.

2. He verbally asked Karl Gurr of UPL to post the mine sign, May 3, 1979, during an inspection which he issued four NOV's for other problems.

3. Mike said that the circumstances were identical to the problem that we noted on the June 7, 1979 inspection. The company was doing some construction work thus failing to post the sign. The company did comply with his request on the May 3 inspection.

4. Mike said that Dave Cave was in charge at the time of our inspection June 7th. Mr. Cave assigned Joe MacDonald the responsibility of accompanying us on our inspection. Mike said that when we returned to the mine office we spoke with someone in the technical support section that had a beard but he was unable to recall his name. That gentleman was also unable to identify the permit boundary limits on the access haulroad.

5. One last clarification: Wilberg Violation

   Tom Ehmett and Ray Lewis both said that diesel fuel was spilled over the berm as opposed to my testimony that it was confined inside of the berm.

cc: Ralph Jerman, Utah Power & Light Co.
Mike Thompson, Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

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