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Division of Oil, Gas & Mining
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Gentlemen:

In compliance with the State of Utah coal mining and reclamation permanent program provisions we are submitting this request to begin the consultation procedures for fish and wildlife studies at UP&L's three mine sites and the proposed Cottonwood Canyon facilities in Emery County. Included with this request are two maps showing the coal and surface ownership within the permit area and the locations of the three existing portal sites which are shown in detail on the enclosed aerial photographs.

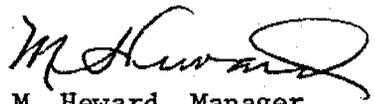
The permit area is located in Townships 17 South, Range 7 East, 16 South, Range 7 East, and 17 South, Range 6 East and contains 18,069 acres.

Anticipated mine life is 35 years for the Deer Creek and Wilberg Mines and 13 years for the Des-Bee-Dove Mine.

If you determine that guided visits to the site are necessary we will be pleased to have a representative available at your request.

Please advise if you require additional information or assistance.

Yours truly,



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