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RE: Proposed Coal Exploration Program
Natomas Coal Company
~~CEP/015/017~~ 018
Emery County, Utah

Dear Mr. Travis:

The Division has reviewed Natomas Coal Company's proposed coal exploration plan for Emery County, Utah, which was received by this office August 25, 1983. The plan under consideration adequately satisfied the State's concerns under requirements of Parts 776 and 815 of the regulations promulgated under the 1979 Act, "Regulation of Coal Mining and Reclamation Operations", Title 40-10-1 et seq, Utah Code Annotated, 1953.

The Division requires no additional information at the present time. Upon completion of the exploration operations the Division will require notification of completion and a description of the plugging and reclamation activities which have taken place for each site.

Thank you for your cooperation. In reply, please refer to CEP/015/017.

Sincerely,


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