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File Act 1015/018 #3

Dear Mr. Payne:

The Assistant Secretary, Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior, approved on January 6, 1993, the Deer Creek Mine mining plan for Federal leases U-47977 and SL-050862. The mining plan approval authorized mining of about 125,000 tons of Federal coal in 120 acres of Federal leases U-47977 and SL-050862. Approval of this mining plan supplements the Deer Creek Mine mining plan for Federal leases SL-064607-064621, SL-064900, SL-070645, U-1358, U-02292, U-084923, U-084924, U-083066, U-040151, U-044025, U-014275, U-024319, and U-47979 approved on October 11, 1985.

Mining operations must be conducted in accordance with both the Utah State permit and the approved mining plan. I have enclosed a copy of the mining plan approval document. Please read the terms and conditions of the mining plan approval document carefully. If you have any questions, please contact Richard Holbrook or me at (303) 844-2400.

Sincerely,

Ranvir Singh

Ranvir Singh, Chief
Federal Lands Branch

Enclosure

cc: BLM Price Resource Area Office
Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
OSM Casper Field Office