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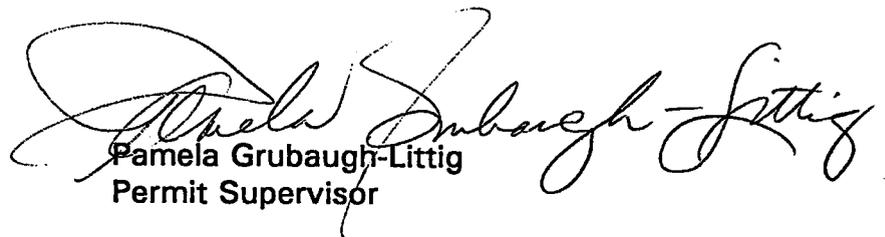
Mr. Val Payne
Senior Environmental Engineer
PacifiCorp
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Dear Mr. Payne:

Re: Placement of Snow Removal Material, PacifiCorp, Deer Creek Mine,
ACT/015/018-93A, Folder #3, Emery County, Utah

Per the attached letter, approval was given by Lowell P. Braxton, Acting Director, on January 14, 1993 to place the snow in the Waste Rock Disposal site. Complete and technically adequate information to amend the Deer Creek Mine mining and reclamation plan relative to this amendment must be submitted to the Division by February 5, 1993.

Sincerely,


Pamela Grubaugh-Littig
Permit Supervisor

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Enclosure
cc: Ken Wyatt

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January 14, 1993

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Mr. Lowell Braxton
Acting Director
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
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RE: AMENDMENT TO PAP TO ALLOW PLACEMENT OF SNOW REMOVAL MATERIAL AT THE WASTE ROCK SITE, PACIFICORP, DEER CREEK MINE, ACT/015/018, EMERY COUNTY, UTAH

Dear Mr. Braxton:

Per our telephone conversation today, because of the extraordinary amount of snowfall that has been received at the Deer Creek Mine recently, it has become necessary to remove the accumulated snow from the mine site. PacificCorp requests an amendment to the approved Deer Creek Mine Permit Application Package to allow placement of the snow at the Deer Creek Mine Waste Rock Disposal Site.

The snow will be hauled to the waste rock site by truck and placed in such a manner that, when the snow melts, the resulting water will report to the waste rock site sediment pond. The quantity of snow that will be removed from the mine site will be limited to only that necessary for normal mine operational activities to continue. The amount of water resulting from the snow will not be sufficient to compromise the design capacity or function of the waste rock site sediment pond.

Your immediate response to this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Val Payne
Val Payne
Sr. Environmental Engineer

cc: S. Kochevar
M. Moon
B. Webster

Val: Given the circumstances of unanticipated snow fall, ^{amounts} and the need to remove the snow from the operational area, the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining consents to placement of snow at the Deer Creek Waste Rock Disposal Site for a period of 60 days after 1-14-93. The Division will begin a timely review of your request for a PAP and will contact you shortly regarding adequacy of your proposal.
Lowell P. Braxton 1-14-93