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Crockett Dumas, District Ranger
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599 West Price River Drive
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Re Mill Fork Exploration, PacifiCorp, Deer Creek Mine, O-018-EX01B, [REDACTED]

Dear Mr. Dumas:

Thank you for your letter of March 15, 2001 asking the Division to participate in the scoping process for National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) at the Mill Fork exploration site. We are currently reviewing this same project under an exploration application and will deal with comments through the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act (SMCRA) permitting process.

Thank you again for the opportunity to comment .

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lowell P. Braxton', written over a printed name and title.

Lowell P. Braxton
Director

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Enclosure:

cc Price Field Office

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