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Attention: James Smith

Subject: Utah Power and Light's Updated Submittals (May, 1984) for
MRP at the Wilberg Mine.

Dear Dianne:

The Division has evaluated Utah Power and Light Company's May, 1984 submittals for updating the Mining and Reclamation Plan at the Wilberg Mine.

Generally speaking, the updated information appropriately addresses all but one of our earlier concerns. The MRP indicates the company "will consult with DWR to prepare a reasonable wildlife mitigation plan" for loss of 16 acres of high-priority valued deer winter range associated with the rock waste disposal area at the Wilberg Mine (Appendix VII, page 5, revised 5-3-84). To date the company has not made contact with our office and a mining permit was issued 9-11-84.

Please look into this situation and advise as appropriate.

Thank you for an opportunity to review the MRP and provide comment.

Sincerely,

William H. Geer, Acting Director
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