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TO: Sandy Pruitt

FROM: Dianne R. Nielson, Director 

RE: Inspection Activity at Utah Power and Light Company's
Wilberg Mine, ACT/015/019, #3, Emery County, Utah

The Division has been notified by UP&L that the Wilberg Mine has been reclassified by MSHA as follows:

Wilberg - Closure by MSHA still in effect

Cottonwood - New entity, no closure

You have also informed me that MSHA has no problem at this time, with the Division's plans to resume inspections of the surface area of the entire complex or the mining activities related to the Cottonwood operations.

Therefore, I am instructing you to resume a normal inspection level for the entire permit area, except as restricted by MSHA orders. If you have any questions about violations or potential violations related to MSHA ordered activities, please review the situation and contact MSHA for information prior to action. Prorate partial and complete inspections for the period of August - December, 1985.

Thank you for your follow-up work regarding these operations.

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