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TO: Dianne Nielson, Director  
FROM: Sandy Pruitt, Mining Field Specialist *SP*  
RE: Inspection Procedure for Wilberg Mine

With DOGM approval of the Cottonwood Mine on July 25, 1985, coal production operations are now underway at the mine complex concurrently with the rescue operation in the Wilberg Mine. I contacted Lamar Bishop, MSHA, today to determine MSHA's enforcement status at the Wilberg/Cottonwood mine complex. He informed me that the 'K order' was still in effect underground at the Wilberg Mine. There are no special conditions in effect at the Cottonwood Mine or on surface operations of the Wilberg/Cottonwood mine complex.

With the new mine development operations underway and coal production resumed, I believe that it is time to reevaluate the inspection procedure for the Wilberg Mine, as outlined in your December 24, 1984 memorandum. Note, the policy must be terminated in writing by the Director.

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cc: Ron Daniels  
Joe Helfrich

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