

0011



State of Utah
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

Michael O. Leavitt
Governor
Ted Stewart
Executive Director
Lowell P. Braxton
Division Director

1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210
PO Box 145801
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801
801-538-5340
801-359-3940 (Fax)
801-538-7223 (TDD)

May 13, 1998

Janette S. Kaiser, Forest Supervisor
U.S. Forest Service
599 West Price River Road
Price, Utah 84501

Re: Permit Boundary Change/Bond Release, PacifiCorp, Cottonwood/Wilberg Mine, ACT/015/019-BR98A, Folder #3, Emery County, Utah

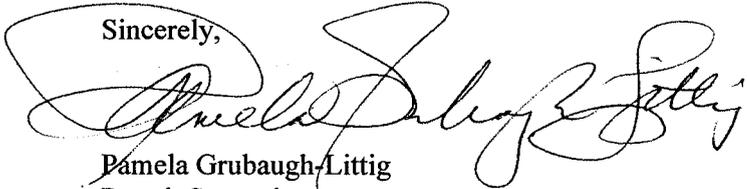
Dear Ms. Kaiser:

I am enclosing a submittal that was made by PacifiCorp to change the original submittal dated January 20, 1998 and February 4, 1998. This current submittal addresses the Forest Service letter dated February 23, 1998, which had two areas of concern, one in federal lease U-1358 and the other in federal lease U-47978

PacifiCorp will address federal lease U-1358 in the Deer Creek permit boundary. As far as the concern in federal lease U-47978, PacifiCorp believes the subsidence in this area is substantially complete whereas the Forest Service believes more monitoring is required. PacifiCorp has simply dropped this area from the boundary change and bond release request. This area will be handled at a later date.

This permitting action is currently being published (April 28, May 5, May 12, and 19, 1998). If you have any other comments on this action, please notify me by June 17, 1998. Additionally, if you have any questions, please call me.

Sincerely,



Pamela Grubaugh-Littig
Permit Supervisor

tat
Enclosure

cc: Ranvir Singh, OSM
Richard Manus, BLM
Bill Malencik, PFO

O:\015019.C\WWW\BOND\BNDRYCHN.WPD