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Attention: Daron Haddock
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Re: Reclamation Cost Estimate, PacifiCorp, Cottonwood/Wilberg Mine, ACT/015/019,
Folder #5, Emery County, Utah

PacifiCorp, by and through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Energy West Mining Company ("Energy West") as mine operator, hereby request a sixty (60) day extension to submit a revised reclamation cost estimate for the Cottonwood/Wilberg Mine. In reviewing the September detailed cost estimate, reclamation cost associated with the "New Waste Rock Facility" was not included as a cost item. On November 5, 1999 I met with Wayne Western to explained that the reclamation cost estimate for the New Waste Rock Facility is included in Volume 10: Waste Rock Storage Facility. Upon approval of the New Waste Rock Facility in 1990 the reclamation estimate in Volume Part 4 and the reclamation agreement were not revised to include the additional expense item, although the bond amount was increased. Energy West will revise reclamation cost estimate for the Cottonwood/Wilberg Mine including transferring the New Waste Site cost estimate from Volume 10 to Part 4: Reclamation Plan.

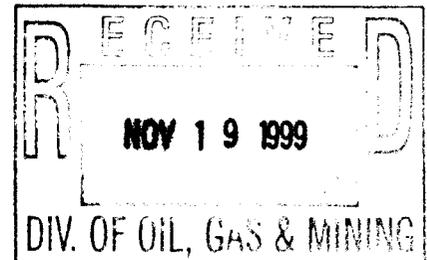
If there are any questions or concerns please call.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Semborski

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