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February 4, 1983

REGISTERED RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Wendell Owen
Co-op Mining Company
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Huntington, Utah 84528

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RE: Enforcement Actions from
Inspection of February 2, 1983
Bear Canyon Mine
ACT/015/025
Emery County, Utah

Dear Mr. Owen:

Pursuant to the conclusion of our inspection of the Bear Canyon Mine on February 2, 1983 please find enclosed the following enforcement actions as we discussed.

Modification of the abatement deadlines to violations 1, 5, 9, and 10 of N82-5-2-10 issued December 16, 1982 extends the abatement deadline to March 4, 1983. This extension is granted in light of the partial abatement action which you have undertaken.

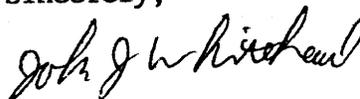
Violations 3 and 6 of N82-5-2-10 have been terminated. Violation 3 was terminated effective December 22, 1982, violation 6 was terminated effective December 17, 1982.

Notice of violation N83-5-2-2, 1 of 2 is issued for failure to conduct surface coal mining operations under permits issued by the Division. This violation is issued to assure that the septic tank systems and the water cistern system which you have partially installed are properly permitted. The second violation deals with the diversion ditch to route undisturbed drainage from just below the road adjacent to the exhaust fan along the southern side of the coal crushing and sizing pad and to the undisturbed drainage inlet culvert underlying the southern end of the coal stockpile pad.

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If you should have any questions on any of these matters please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



JOHN J. WHITEHEAD
FIELD SPECIALIST

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cc: Joe Helfrich, DOGM

Enclosure