

Mine Sub 015-025 #2
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DIVISION OF
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*Risk is there to Mine water discharge
TDX used? Is the NOI
an amendment to the OPAES??*

Re: Notice of Intent (NOI) Submittal
for Co-op Mining Co.

Dear Mr. Mangum:

We have reviewed the completed and acceptable NOI submitted by you on February 16, 1989 on behalf of Co-op Mining Co., and the request regarding the Bear Canyon culinary water system and decided upon the following course of action.

Since no chemicals are now being added to the water in the Bear Canyon culinary system we feel a permit is not required, but add the stipulation that Co-op Mining Company must receive approval from this office before any chemicals may be added at any time in the future.

According to Utah Administrative Code (UAC) R448-2-12.13 and R448-2-3.2 all surface waters geographically located within the outer boundaries of U.S. National Forests whether on public or private land shall be antidegradation segments. New point source discharges of wastewater treated or otherwise are prohibited in such segments after the effective date of designation. Because of these regulations it appears that discharge points 004 and 005 may not be able to be permitted. A final decision will be made in the near future, however, we would like to discuss some options with you regarding this matter before a final decision is made. Please contact Mike Herkimer of this office at 538-6146 to arrange for a meeting time and place and/or to answer any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

Utah Water Pollution Control Committee

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