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February 15, 1993

Mr. Wendell Owen
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Dear Mr. Owen:

Re: Tank Seam Permitting, Bear Canyon Mine, Co-Op Mining Company,
ACT/015/025, Folder #2, Emery County, Utah

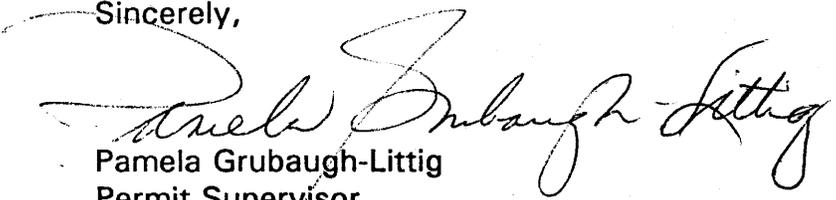
The Division appreciates Mr. Charles Reynolds, Mr. Kimley Mangum, and Mr. Joe Kingston attending the meeting held on February 11, 1993 to discuss the permitting of the Tank Seam, which is located above the Bear Canyon Seam. The Division would like to reiterate that the permitting action should be handled as a complete comprehensive revision to the plan. The road to the Tank Seam is a mining-related activity and must be permitted prior to any the construction i.e. any construction of this portion of the road required for the "Hunting Lodge" proposal is prohibited.

As stated in item #25 of the Order issued by the Division Director on May 20, 1991, "Any future proposal to mine beyond the existing permit area or in coal seams above or below the current workings will be treated as a request for permit revision, with the opportunity for public comment."

Upon approval of this proposal (including the road), a change in the postmining land use of the area could be considered.

If you have any questions, please call me.

Sincerely,


Pamela Grubaugh-Littig
Permit Supervisor

cc: Susan White