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To Whom It May Concern,

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Re: Wild Horse Ridge TA Response, Bear Canyon Mine, ACT 015/025-98-1, Emery County, Utah

Enclosed is a submittal in response to the Division's Technical analysis dated August 2, 2000 of the Wild Horse Ridge Application. Four redline/strikeout copies are included in the submittal. An additional copy has been provided to The Forest Service.

The submittal also includes 4 copies of a summary of the responses to the deficiencies outlined in the TA. The summary has been included to aid the reviewers in identifying the revisions pertaining to the TA deficiencies.

One of the deficiencies in the TA still remains open, which refers to a slope stability analysis for the reclaimed slopes. The response to this deficiency is awaiting the completion of some work by a consultant, and will be forwarded to the Division for insertion when it is completed.

Co-Op understands that all of the page numbers in the redline/strikeout text which has been submitted may not match the page numbers in the table of contents or the approved MRP. This is due to the redline/strikeout format. Upon approval, Co-Op will adjust the page numbers for incorporation as necessary in the finalized copies which are submitted.

If you have any questions, or need additional information, please call Charles Reynolds at (435) 687-2450.

Thank You,

Wendell Owen
Resident Agent

Enclosure(s)

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT PROCESSING

<input type="checkbox"/> Permit Change	<input type="checkbox"/> New Permit	<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal	<input type="checkbox"/> Transfer	<input type="checkbox"/> Exploration	<input type="checkbox"/> Bond Release	Permit Number: ACT/015/025
Title of Proposal: Wild Horse Ridge Response to August 2, 2000 TA						Mine: BEAR CANYON MINE
						Permittee: CO-OP MINING COMPANY

Description, include reason for application and timing required to implement:

Permit area acreage and disturbed area acreage have been corrected on this form C1 from the previous form C1.

Instructions: If you answer yes to any of the first 8 questions (gray), submit the application to the Salt Lake Office. Otherwise, you may submit it to your reclamation specialist.

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		1. Change in the size of the Permit Area? <u>1,958.43</u> acres Disturbed Area? <u>7.30</u> acres <input type="checkbox"/> increase.
	<input type="checkbox"/> No	2. Is the application submitted as a result of a Division Order? DO #
	<input type="checkbox"/> No	3. Does application include operations outside a previously identified Cumulative Hydrologic Impact Area?
	<input type="checkbox"/> No	4. Does application include operations in hydrologic basins other than as currently approved?
	<input type="checkbox"/> No	5. Does application result from cancellation, reduction or increase of insurance or reclamation bond?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		6. Does the application require or include public notice/publication?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		7. Does the application require or include ownership, control, right-of-entry, or compliance information?
	<input type="checkbox"/> No	8. Is proposed activity within 100 feet of a public road or cemetery or 300 feet of an occupied dwelling?
	<input type="checkbox"/> No	9. Is the application submitted as a result of a Violation? NOV #
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		10. Is the application submitted as a result of other laws or regulations or policies? Explain: Significant Revision
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		11. Does the application affect the surface landowner or change the post mining land use?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		12. Does the application require or include underground design or mine sequence and timing? (Modification of R2P2?)
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		13. Does the application require or include collection and reporting of any baseline information?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		14. Could the application have any effect on wildlife or vegetation outside the current disturbed area?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		15. Does application require or include soil removal, storage or placement?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		16. Does the application require or include vegetation monitoring, removal or revegetation activities?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		17. Does the application require or include construction, modification, or removal of surface facilities?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		18. Does the application require or include water monitoring, sediment or drainage control measures?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		19. Does the application require or include certified designs, maps, or calculations?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		20. Does the application require or include subsidence control or monitoring?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		21. Have reclamation costs for bonding been provided for?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		22. Does application involve a perennial stream, a stream buffer zone or discharges to a stream?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		23. Does the application affect permits issued by other agencies or permits issued to other entities?

Attach 4 complete copies of the application.

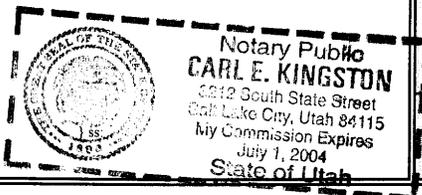
I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments, undertakings, and obligations, herein.

Wendell Alan Res. Agent 1/24/01
Signed - Name - Position - Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Jan, 2001

Carl E. Kingston
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____, 19____)
Attest: STATE OF _____)
COUNTY OF _____)



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