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April 5, 2002

Coal Program  
Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining  
1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210  
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Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

To Whom It May Concern,

**Re: Vegetation Reference Areas, Bear Canyon Mine, C/015/025, Emery County, Utah**

Enclosed are three DRAFT copies of an amendment to change the vegetation reference areas for the Bear Canyon Mine.

After discussion with the Division it was determined that the Shower House Pad reverence area and the Tank Seam Access Road reference areas are better then the area selected in July of 1983.

The 1983 reference area contained a riparian area. There are currently no riparian reference areas in the Bear Canyon. C. W. Mining Company will be selecting a riparian reference area this spring along with Susan White of the Division. Once this area has been selected a study will be done on it and the study will be included in the MRP.

Page 9-1 has been updated to show the change in reference areas for the shop, coal storage, and mine access road areas. Page 9-2 has been included because some the text that was previous included on page 9-1 is now on page 9-2

If you have any questions, please call Mark Reynolds at (435) 687-5238.

Thank You,

Wendell Owen  
Resident Agent

Enclosure(s)  
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# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT PROCESSING

Permit Change <input type="checkbox"/>						Permit Number: ACT/015/025
Title of Proposal:						Mine: BEAR CANYON MINE
Vegetation Reference Areas						Permittee: CO-OP MINING COMPANY

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

**Instructions:** *If you answer yes to any of the first 8 questions (gray), this will be a Significant Revision and will require Public Notice.*

<input type="checkbox"/> No		1. Change in the size of the Permit Area? _____ acres Disturbed Area? _____ 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"/> No		6. Does the application require or include public notice/publication?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		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"/> No		10. Is the application submitted as a result of other laws or regulations or policies? Explain: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> No		11. Does the application affect the surface landowner or change the post mining land use?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		12. Does the application require or include underground design or mine sequence and timing? (Modification of R2P2?)
<input type="checkbox"/> No		13. Does the application require or include collection and reporting of any baseline information?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		14. Could the application have any effect on wildlife or vegetation outside the current disturbed area?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		15. Does application require or include soil removal, storage or placement?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes		16. Does the application require or include vegetation monitoring, removal or revegetation activities?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		17. Does the application require or include construction, modification, or removal of surface facilities?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		18. Does the application require or include water monitoring, sediment or drainage control measures?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		19. Does the application require or include certified designs, maps, or calculations?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		20. Does the application require or include subsidence control or monitoring?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		21. Have reclamation costs for bonding been provided for?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		22. Does application involve a perennial stream, a stream buffer zone or discharges to a stream?
<input type="checkbox"/> No		23. Does the application affect permits issued by other agencies or permits issued to other entities?

**Attach complete copies of the application. 3**

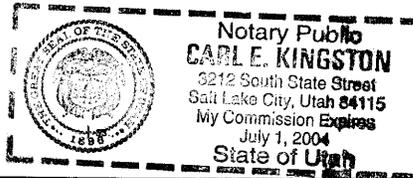
I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments, undertakings, and obligations, herein.

*Wendell Owen Res. Agent 4/8/02*  
 Signed - Name - Position - Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of April, 2002

*Carl E. Kingston*  
 Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
 Attest: STATE OF Utah  
 COUNTY OF SALT LAKE



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