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August 21, 1987

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Mr. Andrew C. King
Genwal Coal Company
P.O. Box 1201
Huntington, Utah 84528

Dear Mr. King:

Re: Conditional Approval of PAP Amendment, Proposed On-site Coal Processing & Truck Loading Facility, Genwal Coal Company, Crandall Canyon Mine, ACT/015/032-87A, Folder #2, Emery County, Utah

The Division has completed its review of the PAP Amendment referenced above. The proposal has been determined adequate for conditional approval. Please refer to the attached technical memorandum(s) for an explanation of the condition(s) and/or stipulations which must be addressed prior to final Division approval to proceed with construction of the proposed amendment. The United States Forest Service (USFS) has provided deficiency comments in a letter to the Division (copy attached). The USFS concerns must also be resolved before the operator may commence construction related to this amendment.

The State Department of Health has requested another copy of this PAP amendment application. The copy which was forwarded to their offices on June 23, 1987, could not be located. The Division has distributed all of the copies originally received and cannot provide them with another copy at this time. Genwal must obtain the proper clearances from the State Bureau of Air Quality prior to implementing this proposal on the minesite.

If possible, please provide a response to all of the condition(s) and comments attached to this letter by September 10, 1987. Please ensure that the response is formatted in a manner to allow direct insertion into the approved permit application package (PAP). Thank you for your cooperation in completing this permitting action.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg

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Data Management Coordinator

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Attachment

cc: P. Rutledge L. Braxton
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July 23, 1987

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FROM: R. Harden, Reclamation Engineer

RE: On-Site Processing & Truck Loading Facility, Crandall Canyon Mine, Genwal Coal Company, ACT/015/032-87A, Folder #2, Emery County, Utah

The facilities proposed by the operator do not require additional disturbance within the permit area. The proposed processing and on site facilities will involve the relocation of the temporary waste storage facilities and the construction of the coal handling and ancillary structures. The submittal and information appears to be adequate except for the following stipulation:

Stipulation UMC 800. Bonding - (1) - JRH

Prior to construction of the proposed on-site truck loading and coal processing facilities, the operator shall provide to the Division, an estimate for the cost of demolition and removal of the facilities. The Division shall determine the amount of additional bond required for the inclusion of these facilities, and the operator shall provide a revised bond within 90 days from the date of notification of the revised amount.

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cc: W. Hedberg
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Reply to: 2820

Date: July 27, 1987

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**DIVISION OF OIL
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Mr. Lowell Braxton
State of Utah Natural Resources
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
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Dear Lowell:

We have reviewed PAP Amendment, On-site Coal Processing and Truck Loading Facility, Genwal Coal Company, Crandall Canyon Mine, ACT-015/032-87A, Folder No. 2, Emery County, Utah.

The following items need to be addressed in the plans:

1. The PAP amendment identifies the need for an emergency open coal stockpile of 1,500 tons once the automated coal loading and processing facility is constructed. This seems like more coal than would be needed for a temporary shut-down. The stockpile must be limited to the minimum needed for an emergency. Justification for the 1,500 tons is needed. Provisions must be added to the amendment to adequately control fugitive dust from this stockpile.
2. The proposed facility at this location may interfere with through traffic. It needs to be determined whether or not there is sufficient room for trucks to load at the new facility and at the emergency stockpile without obstructing traffic on the main road. This should be demonstrated on Plate 3-1 by showing the coal haul trucks at the loading facility.
3. Site distance for through traffic must be addressed. Provisions for warning through traffic of merging coal trucks will be necessary if sight distance is not adequate.
4. There is no indication of how much lump coal will be stockpiled under the coal ladder. The proposed volume must be kept to a minimum and discussed in the plan.

Forest Service consent regarding approval of the facility will be subject to demonstration that the items above can be adequately mitigated.

Sincerely,

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for
A.J. FRANSEN
Acting Forest Supervisor