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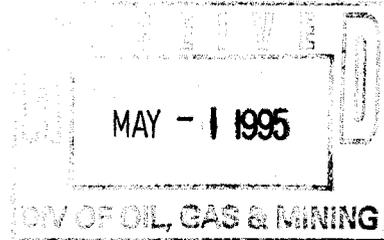
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Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
ATTN: Mr. Daron Haddock, Permit Supervisor
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Dear Daron,

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My staff has reviewed the responses from Genwal Resources, Inc. for their Crandall Canyon Mine for LBA #9. All of our concerns have been addressed except for potential subsidence due to mining under perennial streams. Genwal's analysis was contradictory to an earlier report done for a similar area of the Belina Mine. While we realize conditions can vary over short distances, we asked that your office evaluate both analyses. Wayne Western's letter of April 24, 1995 to you states that Genwal should analyze the potential for roof failure using a multiple bed technique, and above intersections using plate theory or numerical techniques.

Therefore, we will withhold concurrence on their subsidence control plan until Genwal has made the necessary corrections.

If you have any questions please call Dale Harber at (801)637-2817.

Sincerely,

AARON L. HOWE
Acting Forest Supervisor