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Mr. James W. Carter, Director
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Dear Mr. Carter:

The Albuquerque Field Office (AFO) has reviewed your September 17, 1993 response to TDN #93-02-116-001 and agrees that the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (DOGM) established the appropriate ownership and control links regarding the Skyline and Convulsion Canyon permits. However, in its review, AFO determined that not all information required by Utah regulation R645-301-100 is presented.

Because of the nation-wide effect and implications of the citizen's complaint transmitted under the subject TDN, the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's (OSM) Solicitor's Office, the Office of Field Operations, and the Applicant Violator Office have reviewed the State's responses to the TDNs. They have indicated to AFO that the lacking information contained within the permit application packages should be remedied prior to AFO's finding the TDN response appropriate.

Therefore, AFO is requiring DOGM to inform Coastal Corporation within 10 days of receipt of this letter that it needs to submit the necessary information missing from the two permit application packages. Such things as MSHA numbers, Corporate officers' beginning dates, and related entities' permit numbers are among the items not provided. Additionally, the two permits differ significantly in the presentation of information to comply with R645-301-100 and they should not.

If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact Donna Griffin or me at (505) 766-1486.

Sincerely,

Robert H. Hagen, Director
Albuquerque Field Office