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Dear Mr. Payne:

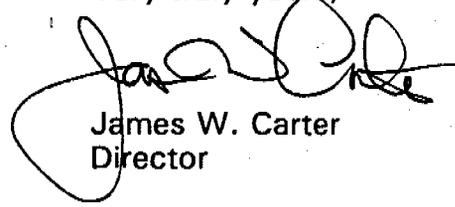
Re: Division Order #93A, Subsidence Monitoring, Coastal States Energy Company, Convulsion Canyon Mine, ACT/041/002, Folder #3, Sevier County, Utah

The Division recently received correspondence from the Manti-LaSal National Forest wherein they voiced concern about the subsidence monitoring at the Convulsion Canyon Mine. We also received your letter, dated April 22, 1993, which provided information to respond to the Forest Service concerns.

After reviewing the subsidence situation, it is felt that subsidence mapping in areas 3 and 4, as part of your next subsidence report, is warranted. Enclosed you will find a Division Order requiring you to make that commitment in your Mining and Reclamation Plan.

Please call if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,



James W. Carter
Director

Enclosure
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Convulsion Canyon Mine

PERMIT NUMBER ACT/041/002
DIVISION ORDER # 93A

ORDER & FINDINGS
of
PERMIT DEFICIENCY

PURSUANT to R645-303-212, the DIVISION ORDERS the PERMITTEE, Coastal States Energy Company, to make the permit changes enumerated in the findings of permit deficiency in order to be in compliance with the State Coal Program. These findings of permit deficiency are to be remedied in accordance with R645-303-220.

FINDINGS OF PERMIT DEFICIENCY

The Division finds the permit deficient in that the current subsidence monitoring plan does not allow for a complete determination of the degree of subsidence taking place so that other appropriate measures can be taken to prevent or reduce material damage.

Regulation Cited R645-301-525.140
 R645-301-525.170

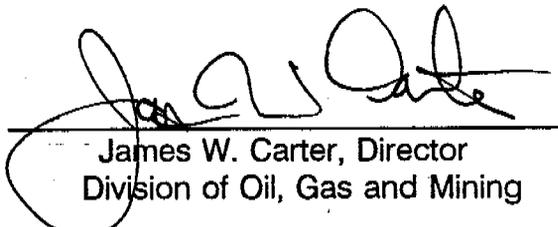
Requirements

In order to comply with this regulation, the permittee must provide a commitment in the Mining and Reclamation Plan that subsidence monitoring will be conducted for a minimum of three years showing no substantial subsidence before concluding that an area has stabilized. In particular areas 3 and 4 must be mapped and reported in the 1993 subsidence report.

ORDER

Coastal States Energy Company is ordered to make the requisite permit changes in accordance with R645-303-220 and to submit a complete application for permit change to address the findings of permit deficiency within 30 days of date of the Order. Approval by the Division must be obtained within 60 days of date of this Order. All approvals not obtained within 60 days may result in a hindrance violation.

Ordered this 11th day of May, 1993, by the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining.



James W. Carter, Director
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

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