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CC: Pele Hess

March 3, 2004

Ark Land Company
c/o Skyline Mines
Mark Bunnell Senior Geologist
HC 35 Box 380
Helper, Utah 84526

Re: Minor Coal Exploration 2004
SITLA - Muddy Tract

Dear Mark:

I have just reviewed your correspondence to Pam Grubaugh-Littig at DOGM concerning the above noted matter. As you are aware the necessary water rights will need to be obtained as you have done in the past. If the well can be used as a water monitoring well, the enclosed Request For Non-Production Well Construction Form will need to be filed. There is no fee. Please attach a map, and the processing time is about five days.

I appreciate your cooperation in these matters. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Mark P. Page
Regional Engineer

Pc: Pamela Grubaugh-Littig – DOGM

Enclosure
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