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Ken May, General Manager
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Subject: 3R2S Panel Block B, Canyon Fuel Company, Sufco Mine, C/041/0002, Task ID #4367

Dear Mr. May:

The Division has reviewed your application to permit 3R2S Panel Block B at the Sufco Mine. The Division has identified deficiencies that must be addressed before final approval can be granted. The deficiencies are listed as an attachment to this letter.

The initials of the deficiencies authors are provided so that your staff can communicate directly with that individual should questions arise. The plans as submitted are denied. Please resubmit the entire application no later than August 5, 2013.

If you have any questions, please call me at (801) 538-5350.

Sincerely,

Steve Christensen
Permit Supervisor

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Deficiency List

**Task No. 4367
3R2S Panel Block B**

Members of the review team with outstanding deficiencies:

Ingrid Campbell (IC)

R645-301-411: Please submit a cultural resource inventory of the subsidence area in coordination with the Manti-La-Sal National Forest Service archeologist. The USFS archeologist will be responsible for obtaining concurrence of findings with the State Historic Preservation Office. Also, please update the Cultural and Historic resource information on page 4-12 and 13 of the MRP to include Panel 3R2S Block B.

Please submit the Memorandum of Agreement between the Permittee, State Historic Preservation Office and the US Forest Service for incorporation into the MRP in appendix 4-6. This MOA was developed in response to the 2R2S Panel A cultural resource survey and will pertain to future surveys including the required one for this application. (IC)

R645-301-322: Please provide the 2013 raptor surveys that include the Block B portion of the 3R2S panel.

Also, please be aware that the Threatened, Endangered and Sensitive species surveys that were committed to by CFC in Appendix 3-14 of the approved Mining and Reclamation Plan are required to be completed and submitted to the Division prior to undermining the South Fork of the Quitcupah. (IC)