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September 13, 2013

Ken May, General Manager
Canyon Fuel Company, LLC
597 South SR24
Salina, Utah 84654

Subject: Waste Rock Disposal Site Subsoil Pile As-Built, Canyon Fuel Company, LLC,
Sufco Mine, C/041/0002, Task ID #4395

Dear Mr. May:

The Division has reviewed your application for Waste Rock Disposal Site Subsoil Pile As-Built 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 deficiencies authors are identified so that your staff can communicate directly with that individual should questions arise. The plans as submitted are denied. Please resubmit the entire application by no later than November 13, 2013.

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

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock
Coal Program Manager

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FINDINGS DOCUMENT

Utah Coal Regulatory Program

PID: C0410002
TaskID: 4395
Mine Name: SUFCO MINE
Title: WASTE ROCK DISPOSAL SITE SUBSOIL PILE AS-BUILT

Operation Plan

Topsoil

Deficiencies Details:

R645-301-121.200, A table added to WRDS p. 3-5 indicates that there is 11,260 cy of subsoil stored in a stockpile at the waste rock site for use at the mine site. This does not correspond with the statement on page 2-18 that there is 11,364 cy of subsoil stockpiled at the mine site. Please explain.

R645-301-233.300, 1) On page 2-18, please include a reference to the location (App. 2-3) of the waste rock subsoil analyses that have been provided to support the use and label of the 11,364 cu yds of excavated pad material as "subsoil."
2) Please provide the Total Sulfur AB (acid base) and T.S. ABP (acid base potential) analysis which is currently missing from the Gob pile analysis dated July 8, 2010.

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