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January 30, 2019

John Byars, General Manager
Canyon Fuel Company, LLC
597 South SR24
Salina, Utah 84654

Subject: Conditional Approval of WRS Phase Construction, Canyon Fuel Company, LLC, Sufco Mine, C/041/0002, Task #5853

Dear Mr. Byars:

The above-referenced amendment is approved conditioned upon receipt of 2 clean copies prepared for incorporation. Please submit these copies by February 26, 2019. Once we receive these copies, final approval will be granted.

A stamped incorporated copy of the approved plans will also be returned to you at that time, for insertion into your copy of the Mining and Reclamation Plan.

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

Sincerely,

Steve Christensen
Permit Supervisor

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Technical Analysis and Findings

Utah Coal Regulatory Program

PID: C0410002
TaskID: 5853
Mine Name: SUFCO MINE
Title: WRS PHASE CONSTRUCTION

General Contents

Permit Application Format and Contents

Analysis:

The amendment meets the State of Utah R645 requirements for Permit Application Format and Contents.

The amendment has added new narrative to page 5-13 in the Waste Rock Site volume of the MRP. The amendment seamlessly incorporates the new narrative into the MRP without losing previously approved narratives.

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Operation Plan

Hydrologic Diversion General

Analysis:

The amendment meets the State of Utah R645 requirements for Diversions.

The amendment proposes to install temporary culverts during the phased construction of the Waste Rock Site. The amendment includes a narrative and refers the reader to culvert drawings and sizing calculations. The proposed temporary culverts will be one to three feet in diameter and are able to carry between 4 to 37 cfs at normal depth. This is more than adequately sized for anticipated runoff volumes from the waste rock site.

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