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October 23, 1986

Ms Diane R. Neilson, Director  
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Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
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3 Triad Center, Suite 350  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203

Dear Ms Neilson:

Please direct all future correspondence regarding  
Summit Minerals No. 1 Coal Mine (Blackhawk), INA/043/001  
to Barbara A. Filas of this office.

Thank you,

  
John Higgins

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Mr. Rick Summers, Hydrologist  
State of Utah - Department of Natural Resources  
Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining  
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Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203

RE: Riprap Material for Bridge Maintenance at the Summit No. 1  
Coal mine (INA/043/001), Summit County, Utah.

Dear Mr. Summers:

Persuant to our October 22, 1986 telephone conversation, this letter is to confirm Summit Minerals' proposal for using concrete slabs and broken concrete material as riprap for bridge maintenance at the No. 1 Coal Mine. As you are aware, Summit Minerals, Inc. performed remedial work on the bridge in late August - early September after flooding in Chalk Creek had washed out the bridge wingwall material on the approach side. The wingwall was backfilled but to date, no riprap material has been placed.

Summit Minerals, Inc proposes to use slabs of concrete approximately 3' X 4' X 0.5' as basic wingwall protection, and broken concrete around the edges of the slabs to minimize moving water penetration behind the slabs. This material is available on site and can be placed immediately.

Your prompt response to this proposal is requested since equipment is now on site, and the weather still permits the work. This maintenance work must be performed this fall since high water levels in the spring will probably erode the existing wingwall again if nothing is done. Should you have any questions or problems with this proposal, give me a call.

Sincerely,



Barbara A. Filas

cc: J. L. Higgins

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October 27, 1986

Ms. Barbara Filas  
Summit Minerals, Inc.  
221 West 2100 South  
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Dear Ms. Filas:

Re: Emergency Bridge Maintenance at the Summit No. 1 Coal Mine,  
Summit Minerals, Inc., INA/043/001, Summit County, Utah

The Division has reviewed your request of October 22, 1986 to conduct maintenance work on the access bridge to the Summit No. 1 mine. Approval is granted for the following at the site:

1. Placement of riprap on the upstream wingwalls on the bridge crossing Chalk Creek.
2. Utilization of concrete material available at the site for the wingwall stabilization.

This approval must not be construed to infer Division approval or concurrence for Summit Minerals, Inc.'s use of the road and bridge for right of access to the property.

The Division feels this work is necessary to maintain the integrity of the bridge for the coming runoff season. This approval is for temporary stabilization and does not constitute formal approval under the Performance Standards of Subchapter K. Review of the bridge crossing for compliance to these standards will be conducted during the forthcoming application review. Summit Minerals, Inc. should realize that the above approved stabilization plan may not meet the criteria for the final permit approval and that replacement or riprap upgrading may be required in the future.

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If you have any questions on this matter, please feel free to call myself or Rick Summers of the Technical Staff.

Sincerely,



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Administrator  
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