April 26, 1979

Memo to File:

RE: Urango Mining Company
ML-25282 & 29592
Garfield County, Utah
ACT/017/012

Mr. Paul Sawyer, a consultant for Urango Mining Company, visited with Jim Smith of the Division on April 10th to discuss this uranium mining operation. Mr. Sawyer informed Mr. Smith that Urango Mining Company was now owned by a Canadian company, Banqwest of Vancouver, B.C. This company represents Swiss and German interests.

Urango plans a more extensive exploration program to further delineate the ore bodies which are believed to be such that two new portals will likely be driven to expand their operation.

The reclamation bond in the amount of $5,000.00 is still in effect with the Division of State Lands for the operation under the previous owners. This bond is adequate to cover the current mining operation, but will need to be revised when the operation expands.

At the present time no new filing is required for the mining and reclamation plan. However, a notice of exploration is required, as was explained to Mr. Sawyer. Upon termination of their exploration activity Urango must submit an amendment to their present filing to include any expansion in their mining operation, should they decide to expand.

Also, mentioned to Mr. Sawyer was the matter of the mine water discharge and his having to see the Division of State Health, Bureau of Water Pollution Control and meeting their requirements.

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