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October 19, 1981

Mr. Thomas N. Tetting
Utah Division of Oil, Gas, & Mining
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Dear Tom:

Per our telephone conversation on October 5, 1981, the following describes the actions taken by Plateau to conduct the emergency repairs on the Tony M Mine to Shootaring Canyon Processing Facility main haulage road. As you are aware, the road is a Garfield County road that is maintained by Plateau. The flooding caused by rainfall north of the Tony M Mine caused the road to be washed out in several places as I told you on the phone.

Road repair began on October 6, 1981 after we discussed the situation with you, Garfield County, and the Bureau of Land Management. The repair work complied with the stipulations set by each agency, and consisted of the following:

1) Material from adjacent to the road was used to backfill the washouts. Resulting slopes were no greater than existing ones. The area from which the fill material was taken, had been disturbed before (during initial road construction) except for an estimated 0.25 acre.

2) Additional gravel for road base was obtained from an existing borrow area.

3) All disturbed sites will be revegetated this fall using Indian ricegrass, fourwing saltbush, shadscale, and other native and adapted species.

We appreciate your quick decision on this matter as it allowed us to continue our mining operation without undue delay. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Fred W. Gerdeman

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Governmental Affairs Supervisor

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