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E-MAILED
8-18-2016 PB

Subject: Authorization for Release of Cash Deposit Held by Utah State Treasurer, Ben Wilcken, ML 50053 Mine, S/027/0123, Millard County, Utah

Dear Ms. Pedroza:

The Utah State Treasurer is presently holding funds for the benefit of the State of Utah, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining as a form of reclamation surety for the referenced project. The operator has requested that a portion of the surety be released, and the Division and SITLA concur with the release (in additional to that granted last week), as follows:

Permit ID	Mine Name	BOND AMOUNT			Operator's Name	Account Number
		Total Principal Held	To Be Released	To Remain in Account		
S/027/0123	ML 50053	$3,000	$2,500	$500	Ben Wilcken	8917014
Operator's Address - 5410 N. Minersville Rd, Cedar City, Utah 84721						

Please transfer the funds to the Division's account in accordance with established procedures.

If you have any questions or require further discussion regarding this letter, please contact Penny Berry, bond coordinator, at 801-538-5291, or by e mail at pennyberry@utah.gov.

Sincerely,

Dana Dean, P.E.
Associate Director

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cc: Jerry Mansfield, SITLA (ML-50053); jmansfield@utah.gov
Ben Wilcken, operator, 5410 N. Minersville Rd, Cedar City, Utah 84721
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