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September 27, 1990

Mr. Dan Bauer
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Akzo Salt, Incorporated
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Dear Mr. Bauer:

Re: Mine Permitting Requirements, Akzo Salt, Incorporated

This letter is a follow up to our telephone conversation of September 21, 1990, regarding the Akzo Salt operations and mine permitting requirements. As we had discussed, I examined our files more thoroughly for permitting information under both Akzo and the Sol-Aire names. I found no information in our files under those headings. I also spoke with representatives of the BLM, and State Lands and Forestry for information regarding Akzo's operations. They did not have records directly relating to operations under the name of Akzo.

For your information, please find enclosed a copy of the Minerals Rules developed pursuant to the requirements of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975, Title 40, Chapter 8. These rules require the filing of a Notice of Intent when an operator wishes to engage in exploration or mining activities within the state of Utah. To that end, I have also enclosed a copy of the Division's Form MR-LMO Notice of Intent to Commence Large Mining, for your use. This is the correct form to use for mining operations causing a surface disturbance of 5 or more acres. I have assumed the Akzo operations encompass more than 5 acres, but if I am incorrect please contact me and I will send you the appropriate form. Also, if an operation undergoes a change of ownership the Division must be notified and a Form MR-TRL or MR-TRS completed and submitted before the transfer.

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As required by the rules, please fill out the Notice of Intent form with the necessary information and return it to this office. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me or the other members of the minerals staff - Wayne Hedberg and Holland Shepherd. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Anthony A. Gallegos
Reclamation Engineer

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cc: Wayne Hedberg
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