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August 20, 2004

Dan Proctor
Unico, Incorporated
Silver Bell Mining Company, Inc.
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Pleasant Grove, Utah 84062

Subject: Removal from Suspension Status, Unico, Incorporated's Deer Trail Mine (M/031/003), and Bromide Basin (S/017/031) and Silver Bell Mining Company's Silver Bell Mine (S/049/027), Piute, Garfield and Utah Counties, Utah

Dear Mr. Proctor:

On August 10, 2004, the Division notified you that your mining operations were placed in suspension for failure to pay the required permit fees for year 2004. We have since received your permit fees; therefore, your mine status is no longer listed as being in suspension and you may continue mining operations as before.

Permit fees are required annually (by the last Friday in July) until the site has been completely reclaimed and you have received written notification from this office that the permit is officially closed.

Nonpayment of permit fees suspends an operator s right to mine. With the new enforcement rules now in place, notices of violation can be issued and penalties assessed for nonpayment of permit fees, or other violations of the Mined Land Reclamation Rules. We hope to avoid taking enforcement action against mine operators. Thank you for keeping your mine permit in good standing.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock

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Permit Supervisor
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